2,64 InterLATA Service.

Shall have the meaning set forth in the Act.

2.65 IntraLATA.

Telecommunications that originate and terminate within the same LATA.

2.66 [Intentionally Left Blank]. Interconnected VoIP (Voice over Internet Protocol).

A serivce that: (1) enables real-time, two way voice communications; (2) requires a broadband connection from the user's location; (3) requires Internet protocol-compatible customer premises equipment; and (4) permits users generally to receive calls that originate on the public switched telephone network and to terminate calls to the public switched telephone network.

2.67 ISDN (Integrated Services Digital Network).

A switched network service providing end-to-end digital connectivity for the simultaneous transmission of voice and data. Basic Rate Interface-ISDN (BRI-ISDN) provides for digital transmission of two (2) 64 kbps bearer channels and one (1) 16 kbps data and signaling channel (2B+D). Primary Rate Interface-ISDN (PRI-ISDN) provides for digital transmission of twenty-three (23) 64 kbps bearer channels and one (1) 64 kbps data and signaling channel (23B+D).

2.68 IXC (Interexchange Carrier).

A Telecommunications Carrier that provides, directly or indirectly, InterLATA or IntraLATA Telephone Toll Services.

2.69 LATA (Local Access and Transport Area).

Shall have the meaning set forth in the Act.

2.70 LEC (Local Exchange Carrier).

Shall have the meaning set forth in the Act.

2.71 LERG (Local Exchange Routing Guide).

A Telcordia Technologies reference containing NPA/NXX routing and homing information.

2.72 LIDB (Line Information Data Base).

Line Information databases which provide, among other things, calling card validation functionality for telephone line number cards issued by Verizon and other entities and validation data for collect and third number-billed calls (e.g., data for billed number screening).

- 2.73 [Intentionally Left Blank].
- 2.74 Line Side.

An End Office connection that provides transmission, switching and optional features suitable for Customer connection to the public switched network, including loop start supervision, ground start supervision and signaling for BRI-

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ISDN service.

## 2.75 Loop.

A transmission path that extends from a Main Distribution Frame or functionally comparable piece of equipment in a Customer's serving End Office, to the Rate Demarcation Point (or NID if installed at the Rate Demarcation Point) in or at the Customer's premises. The actual transmission facilities used to provide a Loop may utilize any of several technologies.

# 2.76 LSR (Local Service Request).

An industry standard form, which contains data elements and usage rules, used by the Parties to establish, add, change or disconnect resold Telecommunications Services and Network Elements.

#### 2.77 Maintenance Control Office.

Either Party's center responsible for control of the maintenance and repair of a circuit.

# 2.78 MDF (Main Distribution Frame).

The primary point at which outside plant facilities terminate within an Interconnection Wire Center, for interconnection to other Telecommunications facilities within the Interconnection Wire Center. The distribution frame used to interconnect cable pairs and line trunk equipment terminating on a switching system.

# 2.79 [Intentionally Left Blank]. Measured Internet Traffic.

Dial-up, switched Internet Traffic originated by a Customer of one Party on that Party's network at a point in a Verizon local calling area, and delivered to a Customer or an Internet Service Provider served by the other Party, on that other Party's network at a point in the same Verizon local calling area. Verizon local calling areas shall be as defined by Verizon. For the purposes of this definition, a Verizon local calling area includes a Verizon non-optional Extended Local Calling Scope Arrangement, but does not include a Verizon-optional Extended Local Calling Scope Arrangement. Calls originated on a 1+ presubscription basis, or on a casual dialed (10XXX/101XXXX) basis, are not considered Measured Internet Traffic. For the avoidance of any doubt, Virtual Foreign Exchange Traffic (i.e., V/FX Traffic) (as defined in the Interconnection Attachment) does not constitute Measured Internet Traffic.

## 2.80 MECAB (Multiple Exchange Carrier Access Billing).

A document prepared by the Billing Committee of the Ordering and Billing Forum (OBF), which functions under the auspices of the Carrier Liaison Committee (CLC) of ATIS. The MECAB document, published by ATIS as "ATIS/OBF-MECAB", as revised from time to time, contains the recommended guidelines for the billing of an Exchange Access Service provided by two or more LECs, or by one LEC in two or more states, within a single LATA.

2.81 MECOD (Multiple Exchange Carriers Ordering and Design Guidelines for Access Services - Industry Support Interface).

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A document developed by the Ordering/Provisioning Committee under the auspices of the Ordering and Billing Forum (OBF), which functions under the auspices of the Carrier Liaison Committee (CLC) of ATIS. The MECOD document, published by ATIS as "ATIS/OBF-MECOD", as revised from time to time, establishes methods for processing orders for Exchange Access Service that is to be provided by two or more LECs.

2.82 [Intentionally Left Blank]. MSAG (Master Street Address Guide).

A database of street names and house number ranges within their associated communities defining Emergency Service Zones (as defined by NENA) and their associated Emergency Service Numbers (as defined by NENA) to enable proper routing of 911/E-911 Calls.

2.83 Mobile Wireless Services.

Any mobile wireless Telecommunications Service, including any commercial mobile radio service.

2.84 NANP (North American Numbering Plan).

The system of telephone numbering employed in the United States, Canada, Bermuda, Puerto Rico and certain Caribbean islands. The NANP format is a 10-digit number that consist of a 3-digit NPA Code (commonly referred to as the area code), followed by a 3-digit NXX code and 4 digit line number.

2.85 Network Element.

Shall have the meaning stated in the Act.

2.86 NID (Network Interface Device).

The Verizon provided interface terminating Verizon's Telecommunications network on the property where the Customer's service is located at a point determined by Verizon. The NID contains an FCC Part 68 registered jack from which Inside Wire may be connected to Verizon's network.

2.87 911/E-911 Call(s) or 911/E-911 Service or 911/E-911 Traffic.

Call(s) made by <u>an end user of Telecommunications Service (including, but not limited to, a Verizon Customer or an Intrado Comm Customer)</u> the Intrado Comm end user by dialing the three digit telephone number "911" to facilitate the reporting of an emergency requiring response by a public safety agency.

# 2.87a 911/E-911 Traffic.[Verizon: combined this definition with 911/E-911 Call, definitions repetitive]

A call made by an end user of Telecommunications Service (including, but not limited to, a Verizon Customer or an Intrado Comm Customer) by dialing the three digit telephone number "911" to facilitate the reporting of an emergency requiring response by a public safety agency.

2.88 911/E-911 Service Provider.

An entity authorized by the Controlling 911 Authority to provide 911/E-911 network and database services within a particular jurisdiction.

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## 2.89 Non-Revertive.

Where traffic is redirected to a protection line because of failure of a working line and the working line is repaired, traffic will remain on the protection line until there is either manual intervention or a failure of the protection line.

# 2.90 NPA (Numbering Plan Area).

Also sometimes referred to as an area code, is the first three-digit indicator of each 10-digit telephone number within the NANP. There are two general categories of NPA, "Geographic NPAs" and "Non-Geographic NPAs". A Geographic NPA is associated with a defined geographic area, and all telephone numbers bearing such NPA are associated with services provided within that geographic area. A Non-Geographic NPA, also known as a "Service Access Code" or "SAC Code" is typically associated with a specialized Telecommunications Service that may be provided across multiple geographic NPA areas. 500, 700, 800, 888 and 900 are examples of Non-Geographic NPAs.

#### 2.91 NXX, NXX Code, Central Office Code or CO Code.

The three-digit switch entity indicator (i.e. the first three digits of a seven-digit telephone number).

## 2.92 Order.

An order or application to provide, change or terminate a Service (including, but not limited to, a commitment to purchase a stated number or minimum number of lines or other Services for a stated period or minimum period of time).

# 2.93 Originating Switched Access Detail Usage Data.

A category 1101XX record as defined in the EMI Telcordia Practice BR-010-200-010.

## 2.94 POI (Point of Interconnection).

The physical location where the Parties' respective facilities physically interconnect for the purpose of mutually exchanging their traffic. As set forth in the Interconnection Attachment, a Point of Interconnection shall be at (i) a technically feasible point on Verizon's network in a LATA when Verizon has been designated as the 911/E-911 Service Provider and/or (ii) a fiber meet point to which the Parties mutually agree under the terms of this Agreement.—By way of example, a technically feasible Point of Interconnection on Verizon's network in a LATA would include an applicable Verizon Tandem Interconnection Wire Center or Verizon End Office Interconnection Wire Center but, notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement or otherwise, would not include an Intrado Comm Interconnection Wire Center, Intrado Comm switch or any portion of a transport facility provided by Verizon to Intrado Comm or another party between (x) a Verizon Interconnection Wire Center or switch and (y) the Interconnection Wire Center or switch of Intrado Comm or another party.

#### 2.95 Primary Reference Source.

Equipment that provides a timing signal to synchronize network elements.

# 2.96 Principal Document.

This document, including, but not limited to, the Title Page, the Table of Contents, the Preface, the General Terms and Conditions, the signature page, this Glossary, the Attachments, and the Appendices to the Attachments.

#### 2.97 Providing Party.

A Party offering or providing a Service to the other Party under this Agreement.

## 2.98 PSAP.

Public Safety Answering Point.

# 2.99 Purchasing Party.

A Party requesting or receiving a Service from the other Party under this Agreement.

# 2.100 Qualifying UNE.

An unbundled Network Element or a combination of unbundled Network Elements obtained, pursuant to the Federal Unbundling Rules, under this Agreement or a Verizon UNE Tariff.

# 2.101 Qualifying Wholesale Services.

Wholesale services obtained from Verizon under a Verizon access Tariff or a separate wholesale agreement.

# 2.102 Rate Center Area.

The geographic area that has been identified by a given LEC as being associated with a particular NPA-NXX code assigned to the LEC for its provision of Telephone Exchange Services. The Rate Center Area is the exclusive geographic area that the LEC has identified as the area within which it will provide Telephone Exchange Services bearing the particular NPA-NXX designation associated with the specific Rate Center Area.

# 2,103 Rate Center Point.

A specific geographic point, defined by a V&H coordinate, located within the Rate Center Area and used to measure distance for the purpose of billing for distance-sensitive Telephone Exchange Services and Toll Traffic. Pursuant to Telcordia Practice BR-795-100-100, the Rate Center Point may be an End Office location, or a "LEC Consortium Point Of Interconnection."

## 2.104 Rate Demarcation Point.

The physical point in a Verizon provided network facility at which Verizon's responsibility for maintaining that network facility ends and the Customer's responsibility for maintaining the remainder of the facility begins, as set forth in this Agreement, Verizon's applicable Tariffs, if any, or as otherwise prescribed under Applicable Law. For purposes of this Agreement, the Rate Demarcation Point and the Point of Interconnection shall be located at the same point.

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The arrangement for recovering, in accordance with Section 251(b)(5) of the Act, the FCC Internet Order, and other applicable FCC orders and FCC Regulations and judicial decisions, costs incurred for the transport and termination of Reciprocal Compensation-Traffic Telecommunications traffic originating on one Party's network and terminating on the other Party's network (as set forth in Section 77 of the Interconnection Attachment).

# 2.106 Reciprocal Compensation Traffic.

Telecommunications traffic originated by a Customer of one Party on that Party's network and terminated to a Customer of the other Party on that other Party's network, except for Telecommunications traffic that is interstate or intrastate Exchange Access, Information Access, or exchange services for Exchange Access or Information Access. The determination of whether Telecommunications traffic is Exchange Access or Information Access shall be based-upon Verizon's local calling areas as defined by Verizon. Reciprocal Compensation Traffic does not include the following traffic (it being understood that certain traffic types will fall into more than one (1) of the categories below that do not constitute Reciprocal Compensation-Traffic): (1) any Internet Traffic; (2) traffic that does not originate and terminate within the same Verizon local calling area as defined by Verizon, and based on the actual originating and terminating points of the complete end-to-end communication; (3) Toll Traffic. including, but not limited to, calls originated on a 1+ presubscription basis, or on a casual dialed (10XXX/101XXXX) basis; (4) Optional Extended Local Calling Scope Arrangement Traffic; (5) special access, private line, Frame Relay, ATM, or any other traffic that is not switched by the terminating Party; (6) Tandem Transit Traffic; (7) Voice Information Service Traffic (as defined in Section 5 of the Additional Services Attachment); or, (8) Virtual Foreign Exchange Traffic (or W/FX Traffic) (as defined in the Interconnection Attachment). For the purposes of this-definition, a Verizon local calling area includes a Verizon non-optional Extended Local Calling Scope Arrangement, but does not include a Verizon optional Extended Local Calling Scope Arrangement.

# 2.107 Retail Prices.

The prices at which a Service is provided by Verizon at retail to subscribers who are not Telecommunications Carriers.

## 2.108 Routing Point.

A specific geographic point identified by a specific V&H coordinate. The Routing Point is used to route inbound traffic to specified NPA-NXXs. The Routing Point must be located within the LATA in which the corresponding NPA-NXX is located. However, the Routing Point associated with each NPA-NXX need not be the same as the corresponding Rate Center Point, nor must it be located within the corresponding Rate Center Area, nor must there be a unique and separate Routing Point corresponding to each unique and separate Rate Center Area.

## 2.109 Service.

Any Interconnection arrangement, Network Element, Telecommunications Service, collocation arrangement, or other service, facility or arrangement, offered by a Party under this Agreement.

#### 2.110 [Intentionally Left Blank].

# 2.111 SS7 (Signaling System 7).

The common channel out-of-band signaling protocol developed by the Consultative Committee for International Telephone and Telegraph (CCITT) and the American National Standards Institute (ANSI). Verizon and Intrado Commutilize this out-of-band signaling protocol in relation to their routing and completion of traffic.

# 2.112 Subsidiary.

A corporation or other person that is controlled by a Party.

# 2.113 Sub-Loop Distribution Facility.

A two-wire or four-wire metallic distribution facility in Verizon's network between a Verizon feeder distribution interface ("FDI") and the Rate Demarcation Point for such facility (or NID if the NID is located at such Rate Demarcation Point).

# 2.114 Switched Exchange Access Service.

The offering of transmission and switching services for the purpose of the origination or termination of Toll Traffic. Switched Exchange Access Services include but may not be limited to: Feature Group A, Feature Group B, Feature Group D, 700 access, 800 access, 888 access and 900 access.

# 2.115 Tandem or Tandem Office.

A switching entity, including a 911/E-911 Tandem or Selective Router as those terms are defined by NENA, that has billing and recording capabilities and is used to connect and switch trunk circuits between and among End Offices and between and among End Offices and carriers' aggregation points, points of termination, or points of presence, and to provide Switched Exchange Access Services. Sometimes this term is used to refer to a telephone company building in which switching systems and telephone equipment are installed.

## 2.116 Tariff.

- 2.116.1 Any applicable Federal or state tariff of a Party, as amended from time to time; or
- 2.116.2Any standard agreement or other document, as amended from time to time, that sets forth the generally available terms, conditions and prices under which a Party offers a Service.

The term "Tariff" does not include any Verizon Statement of Generally Available Terms (SGAT) which has been approved or is pending approval by the Commission pursuant to Section 252(f) of the Act.

# 2.117 Telcordia Technologies.

Telcordia Technologies, Inc., formerly known as Bell Communications Research, Inc. (Bellcore).

#### 2.118 Telecommunications Carrier.

Shall have the meaning set forth in the Act.

#### 2.119 Telecommunications Services.

Shall have the meaning set forth in the Act.

# 2.120 Telephone Exchange Service.

Shall have the meaning set forth in the Act.

# 2.121 Terminating Switched Access Detail Usage Data.

A category 1101XX record as defined in the EMI Telcordia Practice BR-010-200-010.

# 2.122 Third Party Claim.

A Claim where there is (a) a claim, demand, suit or action by a person who is not a Party, (b) a settlement with, judgment by, or liability to, a person who is not a Party, or (c) a fine or penalty imposed by a person who is not a Party.

#### 2.123 Toll Traffic.

Traffic that is originated by a Customer of one Party on that Party's network and terminates to a Customer of the other Party on that other Party's network and is not Reciprocal Compensation Traffic, <a href="ISP-Bound TrafficMeasured Internet Traffic">ISP-Bound Traffic</a>Measured Internet Traffic, or Ancillary Traffic. Toll Traffic may be either "IntraLATA Toll Traffic" or "InterLATA Toll Traffic", depending on whether the originating and terminating points are within the same LATA.

## 2.124 Toxic or Hazardous Substance.

Any substance designated or defined as toxic or hazardous under any "Environmental Law" or that poses a risk to human health or safety, or the environment, and products and materials containing such substance. "Environmental Laws" means the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act, the Emergency Planning and Community Rightto-Know Act, the Water Pollution Control Act, the Air Pollution Control Act, the Toxic Substances Control Act, the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, the Occupational Safety and Health Act, and all other Federal, State or local laws or governmental regulations or requirements, that are similar to the above-referenced laws or that otherwise govern releases, chemicals, products, materials or wastes that may pose risks to human health or safety, or the environment, or that relate to the protection of wetlands or other natural resources.

# 2.125 Traffic Factor 1 or Percent Interstate Usage ("PIU").

For traffic exchanged via Interconnection Trunks, a factor that is used to determine the interstate portion of minutes exchanged between the Parties. PIU is developed from the measurement of calls in which the calling and called parties are not located within the same state. PIU is the first such factor applied to traffic for jurisdictional separation of traffic. a percentage calculated by dividing the number of minutes of interstate traffic (excluding Measured Internet Traffic) by the total number of minutes of interstate and intrastate traffic. ([Interstate Traffic Total Minutes of Use {excluding Measured Internet Traffic Total Minutes of Use + Intrastate Traffic Total Minutes of Use + Intrastate Traffic Total Minutes of Use}] x 100). Until the form of a Party's bills is updated to use

the term "Traffic Factor 1," the term "Traffic Factor 1" may be referred to on the Party's bills and in billing related communications as "Percent Interstate Usage" or "PIU."

# 2.126 Traffic Factor 2 or Percent Local Usage ("PLU").

For traffic exchanged via Interconnection Trunks, a factor that is used to determine the portion of traffic that is made up of Reciprocal Compensation Traffic and ISP-Bound Traffic minutes. The PLU factor is applied to traffic only after Traffic Factor 1 or the PIU factor has been applied for jurisdictional separation of traffic., a percentage calculated by dividing the combined total number of minutes of Reciprocal Compensation Traffic and Measured Internet Traffic by the combined total number of minutes of intrastate traffic and Measured Internet Traffic. ([{Reciprocal Compensation Traffic Total Minutes of Use + Measured Internet Traffic Total Minutes of Use}] = {Intrastate Traffic Total Minutes of Use}] x 100). Until the form of a Party's bills is updated to use the term "Traffic Factor 2," the term "Traffic Factor 2" may be referred to on the Party's bills and in billing related communications as "Percent Local Usage" or "PLU."

# 2.127 Triennial Review Remand Order (TRRO).

The FCC's Order on Remand in WC Docket No. 04-313 and CC Docket No. 01-338, released on February 4, 2005.

#### 2.128 Trunk Side.

A Central Office Switch connection that is capable of, and has been programmed to treat the circuit as, connecting to another switching entity, for example, to another carrier's network. Trunk side connections offer those transmission and signaling features appropriate for the connection of switching entities and cannot be used for the direct connection of ordinary telephone station sets.

# 2.129 UDLC (Universal Digital Loop Carrier).

UDLC arrangements consist of a Central Office Terminal and a Remote Terminal located in the outside plant or at a Customer premises. The Central Office and the Remote Terminal units perform analog to digital conversions to allow the feeding facility to be digital. UDLC is deployed where the types of services to be provisioned by the systems cannot be integrated such as non-switched services and UNE Loops.

#### 2.130 UNE Wire Center.

Shall have the same meaning as "Wire Center" set forth in 47 C.F.R. § 51.5.

# 2.131 V and H Coordinates Method.

A method of computing airline miles between two points by utilizing an established formula that is based on the vertical and horizontal coordinates of the two points.

# 2.132 Voice Grade.

Either an analog signal of 300 to 3000 Hz or a digital signal of 56/64 kilobits per second. When referring to digital Voice Grade service (a 56-64 kbps channel),

the terms "DS0" or "sub-DS1" may also be used.

#### 2.133 xDSL.

As defined and offered in this Agreement. The small "x" before the letters DSL signifies reference to DSL as a generic transmission technology, as opposed to a specific DSL "flavor."

# 2.134 PAM (PSAP ALI Messaging Interface Protocol).

An interface and an industry accepted protocol to retrieve the caller's ANI/ALI from another ALI system or from a dynamic ANI/ALI provider for display at the appropriate PSAP upon answer of a 911/E-911 Call.

# 2.135 pANI (Pseudo-ANI).

A number, consisting of the same number of digits as ANI, that is not a North American Numbering Plan telephone directory number and may be used in place of an ANI to convey special meaning, which is determined by agreements, as necessary, between the system originating the call, intermediate systems handling and routing the call, and the destination system.

#### ADDITIONAL SERVICES ATTACHMENT

#### 1. Alternate Billed Calls

1.1 The Parties will engage in settlements of intraLATA intrastate alternate-billed calls (<u>e.g.</u>, collect, calling card, and third-party billed calls) originated or authorized by their respective Customers in accordance with an arrangement mutually agreed to by the Parties.

# 2. Dialing Parity - Section 251(b)(3)

Each Party shall provide the other Party with nondiscriminatory access to such services and information as are necessary to allow the other Party to implement local Dialing Parity in accordance with the requirements of Section 251(b)(3) of the Act.

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# 4. Directory Listing and Directory Distribution

To the extent required by Applicable Law, Verizon will provide directory services to Intrado Comm. Such services will be provided in accordance with the terms set forth herein.

# 4.1 Listing Information.

As used herein, "Listing Information" means an Intrado Comm Customer's primary name, address (including city, state and zip code), telephone number(s), the delivery address and number of directories to be delivered, and, in the case of a business Customer, the primary business heading under which the business Customer desires to be placed, and any other information Verizon deems necessary for the publication and delivery of directories.

# 4.2 Listing Information Supply.

Intrado Comm shall provide to Verizon on a regularly scheduled basis, at no charge, and in a format required by Verizon or by a mutually agreed upon industry standard (e.g., Ordering and Billing Forum developed) all Listing Information and the service address for each Intrado Comm Customer whose service address location falls within the geographic area covered by the relevant Verizon directory. Intrado Comm shall also provide to Verizon on a daily basis: (a) information showing Intrado Comm Customers who have disconnected or terminated their service with Intrado Comm; and (b) delivery information for each non-listed or non-published Intrado Comm Customer to enable Verizon to perform its directory distribution responsibilities. Verizon shall promptly provide to Intrado Comm (normally within forty-eight (48) hours of receipt by Verizon, excluding non-business days) a query on any listing that is not acceptable.

## 4.3 Listing Inclusion and Distribution.

Verizon shall include each Intrado Comm Customer's primary listing in the appropriate alphabetical directory and, for business Customers, in the appropriate classified (Yellow Pages) directory in accordance with the directory configuration, scope and schedules determined by Verizon in its sole discretion, and shall provide initial distribution of such directories to such Intrado Comm Customers in the same manner it provides initial distribution of such directories to

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its own Customers. "Primary Listing" means a Customer's primary name, address, and telephone number. Listings of Intrado Comm's Customers shall be interfiled with listings of Verizon's Customers and the Customers of other LECs included in the Verizon directories. Intrado Comm shall pay Verizon's Tariffed charges for additional, foreign, and other listings products (as documented in local Tariff) for Intrado Comm's Customers.

#### 4.4 Verizon Information.

Upon request by Intrado Comm, Verizon shall make available to Intrado Comm the following information to the extent that Verizon provides such information to its own business offices: a directory list of relevant NXX codes, directory and Customer Guide close dates, and Yellow Pages headings. Verizon shall also make available to Intrado Comm, on Verizon's Wholesale website (or, at Verizon's option, in writing) Verizon's directory listings standards and specifications.

# 4.5 Confidentiality of Listing Information.

Verizon shall accord Intrado Comm Listing Information the same level of confidentiality that Verizon accords its own listing information, and shall use such Listing Information solely for the purpose of providing directory-related services; provided, however, that should Verizon elect to do so, it may use or license Intrado Comm Listing Information for directory publishing, direct marketing, or any other purpose for which Verizon uses or licenses its own listing information, so long as Intrado Comm Customers are not separately identified as such; and provided further that Intrado Comm may identify those of its Customers who request that their names not be sold for direct marketing purposes and Verizon shall honor such requests to the same extent that it does for its own Customers. Verizon shall not be obligated to compensate Intrado Comm for Verizon's use or licensing of Intrado Comm Listing Information.

# 4.6 Accuracy.

Both Parties shall use commercially reasonable efforts to ensure the accurate publication of Intrado Comm Customer listings. At Intrado Comm's request, Verizon shall provide Intrado Comm with a report of all Intrado Comm Customer listings in a reasonable timeframe prior to the service order close date for the applicable directory. Verizon shall process any corrections made by Intrado Comm with respect to its listings, provided such corrections are received prior to the close date of the particular directory.

# 4.7 Indemnification.

Intrado Comm shall adhere to all practices, standards, and ethical requirements established by Verizon with regard to listings. By providing Verizon with Listing Information, Intrado Comm warrants to Verizon that Intrado Comm has the right to provide such Listing Information to Verizon on behalf of its Customers. Intrado Comm shall make commercially reasonable efforts to ensure that any business or person to be listed is authorized and has the right (a) to provide the product or service offered, and (b) to use any personal or corporate name, trade name, trademark, service mark or language used in the listing. Intrado Comm agrees to release, defend, hold harmless and indemnify Verizon from and against any and all claims, losses, damages, suits, or other actions, or any liability whatsoever, suffered, made, instituted, or asserted by any person arising out of Verizon's publication or dissemination of the Listing Information as provided by Intrado

Comm hereunder to the extent such claims, losses, damages, suits, or other actions are the not the result of Verizon's willful misconduct or gross negligence.

# 4.8 Liability.

Except for Verizon's willful misconduct or gross negligence, Verizon's liability to Intrado Comm in the event of a Verizon error in or omission of an Intrado Comm Customer listing shall not exceed the amount actually paid by Intrado Comm to Verizon for such listing. Intrado Comm agrees to take all reasonable steps, including, but not limited to, entering into appropriate contractual provisions with its Customers, to ensure that its and Verizon's liability to Intrado Comm's Customers in the event of a Verizon error in or omission of a listing shall be subject to the same limitations of liability applicable between Verizon and its own Customers as set forth in Verizon's applicable Tariffs.

# 4.9 Service Information Pages.

Verizon shall include all Intrado Comm NXX codes associated with the geographic areas to which each directory pertains, to the extent it does so for Verizon's own NXX codes, in any lists of such codes that are contained in the general reference portion of each directory. Intrado Comm's NXX codes shall appear in such lists in the same manner as Verizon's NXX information. In addition, when Intrado Comm is authorized to, and is offering, local service to Customers located within the geographic area covered by a specific directory, at Intrado Comm's request, Verizon shall include, at no charge, in the "Customer Guide" or comparable section of the applicable alphabetical directories, Intrado Comm's critical contact information for Intrado Comm's installation, repair and Customer service, as provided by Intrado Comm. Such critical contact information shall appear alphabetically by local exchange carrier and in accordance with Verizon's generally applicable policies. Intrado Comm shall be responsible for providing the necessary information to Verizon by the applicable close date for each affected directory.

#### 4.10 Directory Publication.

Nothing in this Agreement shall require Verizon to publish a directory where it would not otherwise do so.

#### 4.11 Other Directory Services.

Intrado Comm acknowledges that if Intrado Comm desires directory services in addition to those described herein, such additional services must be obtained under separate agreement with Verizon's directory publishing company.

## 5. Voice Information Service Traffic

For purposes of this Section 5, (a) Voice Information Service means a service that provides [i] recorded voice announcement information or [ii] a vocal discussion program open to the public, and (b) Voice Information Service Traffic means intraLATA switched voice traffic, delivered to a Voice Information Service. Voice Information Service Traffic does not include any form of Internet SP-Bound Traffic. Voice Information Service Traffic also does not include 555 traffic or similar traffic with AIN service interfaces, which traffic shall be subject to separate arrangements between the Parties. Voice Information Service Traffic is not subject to Reciprocal Compensation charges under Section 77 of the Interconnection Attachment.

- ff an Intrado Comm Customer is served by resold Verizon dial tone line Telecommunications Service, to the extent reasonably feasible, Verizon will route Voice Information Service Traffic originating from such Service to the appropriate Voice Information Service connected to Verizon's network unless a feature blocking such Voice Information Service Traffic has been installed. For such Voice Information Service Traffic, Intrado Comm shall pay to Verizon without discount any Voice Information Service provider charges billed by Verizon to Intrado Comm. Intrado Comm shall pay Verizon such charges in full regardless of whether or not Intrado Comm collects such charges from its Customer.
- Intrado Comm shall have the option to route Voice Information Service Traffic that originates on its own network to the appropriate Voice Information Service connected to Verizon's network. In the event Intrado Comm exercises such option, Intrado Comm will establish, at its own expense, a dedicated trunk group to the Verizon Voice Information Service serving switch. This trunk group will be utilized to allow Intrado Comm to route Voice Information Service Traffic originated on its network to Verizon. For such Voice Information Service Traffic, unless Intrado Comm has entered into a written agreement with Verizon under which Intrado Comm will collect from Intrado Comm's Customer and remit to Verizon the Voice Information Service provider's charges, Intrado Comm shall pay to Verizon without discount any Voice Information Service provider charges billed by Verizon to Intrado Comm. Intrado Comm shall pay Verizon such charges in full regardless of whether or not Intrado Comm collects such charges from its own Customer.

#### 6. Intercept and Referral Announcements

- When a Customer changes its service provider from Verizon to Intrado Comm, or from Intrado Comm to Verizon, and does not retain its original telephone number, the Party formerly providing service to such Customer shall provide a referral announcement ("Referral Announcement") on the abandoned telephone number which provides the Customer's new number or other appropriate information, to the extent known to the Party formerly providing service. Notwithstanding the foregoing, a Party shall not be obligated under this Section to provide a Referral Announcement if the Customer owes the Party unpaid overdue amounts or the Customer requests that no Referral Announcement be provided.
- Referral Announcements shall be provided, in the case of business Customers, for a period of not less than one hundred and twenty (120) days after the date the Customer changes its telephone number, and, in the case of residential Customers, not less than thirty (30) days after the date the Customer changes its telephone number; provided that if a longer time period is required by Applicable Law, such longer time period shall apply. Except as otherwise provided by Applicable Law, the period for a referral may be shortened by the Party formerly providing service if a number shortage condition requires reassignment of the telephone number.
- 6.3 This referral announcement will be provided by each Party at no charge to the other Party; provided that the Party formerly providing service may bill the Customer its standard Tariff charge, if any, for the referral announcement.

# 7. Originating Line Number Screening (OLNS)

Upon Intrado Comm's request, Verizon will update its database used to provide originating line number screening (the database of information which indicates to an operator the acceptable billing methods for calls originating from the calling number (e.g., penal institutions, COCOTS).

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# 8. Operations Support Systems (OSS) Services

8.1 Definitions.

The terms listed below shall have the meanings stated below:

- 8.1.1 <u>Verizon Operations Support Systems</u>: Verizon systems for preordering, ordering, provisioning, maintenance and repair, and billing.
- 8.1.2 <u>Verizon OSS Services</u>: Access to Verizon Operations Support Systems functions. The term "Verizon OSS Services" includes, but is not limited to: (a) Verizon's provision of Intrado Comm Usage Information to Intrado Comm pursuant to Section 8.3 of this Attachment; and, (b) "Verizon OSS Information", as defined in Section 8.1.4 of this Attachment.
- 8.1.3 <u>Verizon OSS Facilities</u>: Any gateways, interfaces, databases, facilities, equipment, software, or systems, used by Verizon to provide Verizon OSS Services to Intrado Comm.
- 8.1.4 Verizon OSS Information: Any information accessed by, or disclosed or provided to, Intrado Comm through or as a part of Verizon OSS Services. The term "Verizon OSS Information" includes, but is not limited to: (a) any Customer Information related to a Verizon Customer or an Intrado Comm Customer accessed by, or disclosed or provided to, Intrado Comm through or as a part of Verizon OSS Services; and, (b) any Intrado Comm Usage Information (as defined in Section 8.1.6 of this Attachment) accessed by, or disclosed or provided to, Intrado Comm.
- 8.1.5 <u>Verizon Retail Telecommunications Service</u>: Any Telecommunications Service that Verizon provides at retail to subscribers that are not Telecommunications Carriers. The term "Verizon Retail Telecommunications Service" does not include any Exchange Access service (as defined in Section 3(16) of the Act, 47 U.S.C. § 153(16)) provided by Verizon.
- 8.1.6 Intrado Comm Usage Information: For a Verizon Retail
  Telecommunications Service purchased by Intrado Comm pursuant to
  the Resale Attachment, the usage information that Verizon would
  record if Verizon was furnishing such Verizon Retail
  Telecommunications Service to a Verizon end-user retail Customer.
- 8.1.7 <u>Customer Information</u>: CPNI of a Customer and any other non-public, individually identifiable information about a Customer or the purchase by a Customer of the services or products of a Party.
- 8.2 Verizon OSS Services.
  - 8.2.1 Upon request by Intrado Comm, Verizon shall provide to Intrado Comm Verizon OSS Services. Such Verizon OSS Services will be provided in accordance with, but only to the extent required by, Applicable Law.
  - 8.2.2 Subject to the requirements of Applicable Law, Verizon Operations Support Systems, Verizon Operations Support Systems functions, Verizon OSS Facilities, Verizon OSS Information, and the Verizon

OSS Services that will be offered by Verizon, shall be as determined by Verizon. Subject to the requirements of Applicable Law, Verizon shall have the right to change Verizon Operations Support Systems, Verizon Operations Support Systems functions, Verizon OSS Facilities, Verizon OSS Information, and the Verizon OSS Services, from time-to-time, without the consent of Intrado Comm.

- 8.2.3 To the extent required by Applicable Law, in providing Verizon OSS Services to Intrado Comm, Verizon will comply with Verizon's applicable OSS Change Management Guidelines, as such Guidelines are modified from time-to-time, including, but not limited to, the provisions of the Guidelines related to furnishing notice of changes in Verizon OSS Services. Verizon's OSS Change Management Guidelines will be set out on a Verizon website.
- 8.3 Intrado Comm Usage Information.
  - 8.3.1 Upon request by Intrado Comm, Verizon shall provide to Intrado Comm Intrado Comm Usage Information. Such Intrado Comm Usage Information will be provided in accordance with, but only to the extent required by, Applicable Law.
  - 8.3.2 Intrado Comm Usage Information will be available to Intrado Comm through Network Data Mover (NDM) or other such media as mutually agreed by both Parties.
  - 8.3.3 Intrado Comm Usage Information will be provided in an ATIS EMI format.
  - 8.3.4 Except as stated in this Section 8.3, subject to the requirements of Applicable Law, the manner in which, and the frequency with which, Intrado Comm Usage Information will be provided to Intrado Comm shall be determined by Verizon.
- 8.4 Access to and Use of Verizon OSS Facilities.
  - 8.4.1 Verizon OSS Facilities may be accessed and used by Intrado Comm only to the extent necessary for Intrado Comm's access to and use of Verizon OSS Services pursuant to this Agreement.
  - 8.4.2 Verizon OSS Facilities may be accessed and used by Intrado Comm only to provide Telecommunications Services to Intrado Comm Customers.
  - 8.4.3 Intrado Comm shall restrict access to and use of Verizon OSS Facilities to Intrado Comm. This Section 8 does not grant to Intrado Comm any right or license to grant sublicenses to other persons, or permission to other persons (except Intrado Comm's employees, agents and contractors, in accordance with Section 8.4.7 of this Attachment), to access or use Verizon OSS Facilities.
  - 8.4.4 Intrado Comm shall not (a) alter, modify or damage the Verizon OSS Facilities (including, but not limited to, Verizon software), (b) copy, remove, derive, reverse engineer, or decompile, software from the Verizon OSS Facilities, or (c) obtain access through Verizon OSS Facilities to Verizon databases, facilities, equipment, software, or

- systems, which are not offered for Intrado Comm's use under this Section 8.
- 8.4.5 Intrado Comm shall comply with all practices and procedures established by Verizon for access to and use of Verizon OSS Facilities (including, but not limited to, Verizon practices and procedures with regard to security and use of access and user identification codes).
- 8.4.6 All practices and procedures for access to and use of Verizon OSS Facilities, and all access and user identification codes for Verizon OSS Facilities: (a) shall remain the property of Verizon; (b) shall be used by Intrado Comm only in connection with Intrado Comm's use of Verizon OSS Facilities permitted by this Section 8; (c) shall be treated by Intrado Comm as Confidential Information of Verizon pursuant to Section 10 of the General Terms and Conditions; and, (d) shall be destroyed or returned by Intrado Comm to Verizon upon the earlier of request by Verizon or the expiration or termination of this Agreement.
- 8.4.7 Intrado Comm's employees, agents and contractors may access and use Verizon OSS Facilities only to the extent necessary for Intrado Comm's access to and use of the Verizon OSS Facilities permitted by this Agreement. Any access to or use of Verizon OSS Facilities by Intrado Comm's employees, agents, or contractors, shall be subject to the provisions of this Agreement, including, but not limited to, Section 10 of the General Terms and Conditions and Section 8.5.3.2 of this Attachment.
- 8.5 Verizon OSS Information.
  - 8.5.1 Subject to the provisions of this Section 8, in accordance with, but only to the extent required by, Applicable Law, Verizon grants to Intrado Comm a non-exclusive license to use Verizon OSS Information.
  - 8.5.2 All Verizon OSS Information shall at all times remain the property of Verizon. Except as expressly stated in this Section 8, Intrado Comm shall acquire no rights in or to any Verizon OSS Information.
  - 8.5.3 The provisions of this Section 8.5.3 shall apply to all Verizon OSS Information, except (a) Intrado Comm Usage Information, (b) CPNI of Intrado Comm, and (c) CPNI of a Verizon Customer or an Intrado Comm Customer, to the extent the Customer has authorized Intrado Comm to use the CPNI.
    - 8.5.3.1 Verizon OSS Information may be accessed and used by Intrado Comm only to provide Telecommunications Services to Intrado Comm Customers.
    - 8.5.3.2 Intrado Comm shall treat Verizon OSS Information that is designated by Verizon, through written or electronic notice (including, but not limited to, through the Verizon OSS Services), as "Confidential" or "Proprietary" as Confidential Information of Verizon pursuant to Section 10 of the General Terms and Conditions.
    - 8.5.3.3 Except as expressly stated in this Section 8, this Agreement does not grant to Intrado Comm any right or license to grant sublicenses to other persons, or permission to other

persons (except Intrado Comm's employees, agents or contractors, in accordance with Section 8.5.3.4 of this Attachment), to access, use or disclose Verizon OSS Information.

- 8.5.3.4 Intrado Comm's employees, agents and contractors may access, use and disclose Verizon OSS Information only to the extent necessary for Intrado Comm's access to, and use and disclosure of, Verizon OSS Information permitted by this Section 8. Any access to, or use or disclosure of, Verizon OSS Information by Intrado Comm's employees, agents or contractors, shall be subject to the provisions of this Agreement, including, but not limited to, Section 10 of the General Terms and Conditions and Section 8.5.3.2 of this Attachment.
- 8.5.3.5 Intrado Comm's license to use Verizon OSS Information shall expire upon the earliest of: (a) the time when the Verizon OSS Information is no longer needed by Intrado Comm to provide Telecommunications Services to Intrado Comm Customers; (b) termination of the license in accordance with this Section 8; or (c) expiration or termination of this Agreement.
- 8.5.3.6 All Verizon OSS Information received by Intrado Comm shall be destroyed or returned by Intrado Comm to Verizon, upon expiration, suspension or termination of the license to use such Verizon OSS Information.
- 8.5.4 Unless sooner terminated or suspended in accordance with this Agreement or this Section 8 (including, but not limited to, Section 2.2 of the General Terms and Conditions and Section 8.6.1 of this Attachment), Intrado Comm's access to Verizon OSS Information through Verizon OSS Services shall terminate upon the expiration or termination of this Agreement.
- 8.5.5 Audits.
  - 8.5.5.1 Verizon shall have the right (but not the obligation), upon written notice to Intrado Comm, to audit Intrado Comm to ascertain whether Intrado Comm is complying with the requirements of Applicable Law and this Agreement with regard to Intrado Comm's access to, and use and disclosure of, Verizon OSS Information. The audit shall be conducted by a third-party selected and paid for by Verizon.
  - 8.5.5.2 Without in any way limiting any other rights Verizon may have under this Agreement or Applicable Law, Verizon shall have the right (but not the obligation) to monitor Intrado Comm's access to and use of Verizon OSS Information which is made available by Verizon to Intrado Comm pursuant to this Agreement, to ascertain whether Intrado Comm is complying with the requirements of Applicable Law and this Agreement, with regard to Intrado Comm 's access to, and use and disclosure of, such Verizon OSS Information. The foregoing right shall include, but not be limited to, the right (but not the obligation) to electronically

monitor Intrado Comm's access to and use of Verizon OSS Information which is made available by Verizon to Intrado Comm through Verizon OSS Facilities.

- 8.5.5.3 Information obtained by Verizon pursuant to this Section 8.5.5 shall be treated by Verizon as Confidential Information of Intrado Comm pursuant to Section 10 of the General Terms and Conditions; provided that, Verizon shall have the right (but not the obligation) to use and disclose information obtained by Verizon pursuant to Section 8.5.5 of this Attachment to enforce Verizon's rights under this Agreement or Applicable Law.
- 8.5.6 Intrado Comm acknowledges that the Verizon OSS Information, by its nature, is updated and corrected on a continuous basis by Verizon, and therefore that Verizon OSS Information is subject to change from time to time.
- 8.6 Liabilities and Remedies.
  - 8.6.1 Any breach by Intrado Comm, or Intrado Comm's employees, agents or contractors, of the provisions of Sections 8.4 or 8.5 of this Attachment shall be deemed a material breach of this Agreement. In addition, if Intrado Comm or an employee, agent or contractor of Intrado Comm at any time breaches a provision of Sections 8.4 or 8.5 of this Attachment and such breach continues for more than ten (10) days after written notice thereof from Verizon, then, except as otherwise required by Applicable Law, Verizon shall have the right, upon notice to Intrado Comm, to suspend the license to use Verizon OSS Information granted by Section 8.5.1 of this Attachment and/or the provision of Verizon OSS Services, in whole or in part.
  - 8.6.2 Intrado Comm agrees that Verizon would be irreparably injured by a breach of Sections 8.4 or 8.5 of this Attachment by Intrado Comm or the employees, agents or contractors of Intrado Comm, and that Verizon shall be entitled to seek equitable relief, including injunctive relief and specific performance, in the event of any such breach. Such remedies shall not be deemed to be the exclusive remedies for any such breach, but shall be in addition to any other remedies available under this Agreement or at law or in equity.
- 8.7 Relation to Applicable Law.

The provisions of Sections 8.4, 8.5 and 8.6 of this Attachment with regard to the confidentiality of information shall be in addition to and not in derogation of any provisions of Applicable Law with regard to the confidentiality of information, including, but not limited to, 47 U.S.C. § 222, and are not intended to constitute a waiver by Verizon of any right with regard to protection of the confidentiality of the information of Verizon or Verizon Customers provided by Applicable Law.

8.8 Cooperation.

Intrado Comm, at Intrado Comm's expense, shall reasonably cooperate with Verizon in using Verizon OSS Services. Such cooperation shall include, but not be limited to, the following:

- 8.8.1 Upon request by Verizon, Intrado Comm shall by no later than the fifteenth (15th) day of the last month of each Calendar Quarter submit to Verizon reasonable, good faith estimates of the volume of each type of OSS transaction that Intrado Comm anticipates submitting in each week of the next Calendar Quarter.
- 8.8.2 Intrado Comm shall reasonably cooperate with Verizon in submitting orders for Verizon Services and otherwise using the Verizon OSS Services, in order to avoid exceeding the capacity or capabilities of such Verizon OSS Services.
- 8.8.3 Intrado Comm shall participate in cooperative testing of Verizon OSS Services and shall provide assistance to Verizon in identifying and correcting mistakes, omissions, interruptions, delays, errors, defects, faults, failures, or other deficiencies, in Verizon OSS Services.
- 8.9 Verizon Access to Information Related to Intrado Comm Customers.
  - 8.9.1 Verizon shall have the right to access, use and disclose information related to Intrado Comm Customers that is in Verizon's possession (including, but not limited to, in Verizon OSS Facilities) to the extent such access, use and/or disclosure has been authorized by the Intrado Comm Customer in the manner required by Applicable Law.
  - 8.9.2 Upon request by Verizon, Intrado Comm shall negotiate in good faith and enter into a contract with Verizon, pursuant to which Verizon may obtain access to Intrado Comm's operations support systems (including, systems for pre-ordering, ordering, provisioning, maintenance and repair, and billing) and information contained in such systems, to permit Verizon to obtain information related to Intrado Comm Customers (as authorized by the applicable Intrado Comm Customer), to permit Customers to transfer service from one Telecommunications Carrier to another, and for such other purposes as may be permitted by Applicable Law.
- 8.10 [Intentionally Left Blank].
- 8.11 Cancellations.

If Intrado Comm action is required for processing an Order and Intrado Comm has not taken such action within thirty-one (31) calendar days after the original service due date, Verizon may cancel the Order.

## 9. Poles, Ducts, Conduits and Rights-of-Way

- 9.1 Verizon shall afford Intrado Comm non-discriminatory access to poles, ducts, conduits and rights-of-way owned or controlled by Verizon. Such access shall be provided in accordance with, but only to the extent required by, Applicable Law, pursuant to Verizon's applicable Tariffs, or, in the absence of an applicable Verizon Tariff, Verizon's generally offered form of license agreement, or, in the absence of such a Tariff and license agreement, a mutually acceptable agreement to be negotiated by the Parties.
- 9.2 Intrado Comm shall afford Verizon non-discriminatory access to poles, ducts, conduits and rights-of-way owned or controlled by Intrado Comm. Such access shall be provided pursuant to Intrado Comm's applicable Tariffs, or, in the absence of an applicable Intrado Comm Tariff, Intrado Comm's generally offered

form of license agreement, or, in the absence of such a Tariff and license agreement, a mutually acceptable agreement to be negotiated by the Parties. The terms, conditions and prices offered to Verizon by Intrado Comm for such access shall be no less favorable than the terms, conditions and prices offered to Intrado Comm by Verizon for access to poles, ducts, conduits and rights of way owned or controlled by Verizon.

# 10. Telephone Numbers

- 10.1 This Section applies in connection with Intrado Comm Customers served by Telecommunications Services provided by Verizon to Intrado Comm for resale.
- 10.2 Intrado Comm's use of telephone numbers shall be subject to Applicable Law the rules of the North American Numbering Council and the North American Numbering Plan Administrator, the applicable provisions of this Agreement (including, but not limited to, this Section 10), and Verizon's practices and procedures for use and assignment of telephone numbers, as amended from time-to-time.
- Subject to Sections 10.2 and 10.4 of this Attachment, if a Customer of either Verizon or Intrado Comm who is served by a Verizon Telecommunications Service ("VTS") changes the LEC that serves the Customer using such VTS (including a change from Verizon to Intrado Comm, from Intrado Comm to Verizon, or from Intrado Comm to a LEC other than Verizon), after such change, the Customer may continue to use with such VTS the telephone numbers that were assigned to the VTS for the use of such Customer by Verizon immediately prior to the change.
- 10.4 Verizon shall have the right to change the telephone numbers used by a Customer if at any time: (a) the Customer requests service at a new location, that is not served by the Verizon switch and the Verizon rate center from which the Customer previously had service; (b) continued use of the telephone numbers is not technically feasible; or, (c) in the case of Telecommunications Service provided by Verizon to Intrado Comm for resale, the type or class of service subscribed to by the Customer changes.
- If service on a VTS provided by Verizon to Intrado Comm under this Agreement is terminated and the telephone numbers associated with such VTS have not been ported to an Intrado Comm switch, the telephone numbers shall be available for reassignment by Verizon to any person to whom Verizon elects to assign the telephone numbers, including, but not limited to, Verizon, Verizon Customers, Intrado Comm, or Telecommunications Carriers other than Verizon and Intrado Comm.
- 10.6 Intrado Comm may reserve telephone numbers only to the extent Verizon's Customers may reserve telephone numbers.

## 11. Routing for Operator Services and Directory Assistance Traffic

For a Verizon Telecommunications Service dial tone line purchased by Intrado Comm for resale pursuant to the Resale Attachment, upon request by Intrado Comm, Verizon will establish an arrangement that will permit Intrado Comm to route the Intrado Comm Customer's calls for operator and directory assistance services to a provider of operator and directory assistance services selected by Intrado Comm. Verizon will provide this routing arrangement in accordance with, but only to the extent required by, Applicable Law. Verizon will provide this routing arrangement pursuant to an appropriate written request submitted by Intrado Comm and a mutually agreed-upon schedule. This routing

arrangement will be implemented at Intrado Comm's expense, with charges determined on an individual case basis. In addition to charges for initially establishing the routing arrangement, Intrado Comm will be responsible for ongoing monthly and/or usage charges for the routing arrangement. Intrado Comm shall arrange, at its own expense, the trunking and other facilities required to transport traffic to Intrado Comm's selected provider of operator and directory assistance services.

# 12. Unauthorized Carrier Change Charges

In the event either Party requests that the other Party install, provide, change, or terminate a Customer's Telecommunications Service (including, but not limited to, a Customer's selection of a primary Telephone Exchange Service Provider) without having obtained authorization from the Customer for such installation, provision, selection, change or termination in accordance with Applicable Laws, the requesting Party shall be liable to the other Party for all charges that would be applicable to the Customer for the initial change in the Customer's Telecommunications Service and any charges for restoring the Customer's Telecommunications Service to its Customer-authorized condition (all such charges together, the "Carrier Change Charges"), including to the appropriate primary Telephone Exchange Service provider. Such Carrier Change Charges may be assessed on the requesting Party by the other Party at any time after the Customer is restored to its Customer-authorized condition.

## INTERCONNECTION ATTACHMENT

#### 1. General

- In geographic areas in which Verizon has been designated as the 911/E-911 Service Provider, Eeach Party shall provide to the other Party, in accordance with this Agreement, but only to the extent required by Applicable Law, interconnection at (i) any technically feasible Point(s) of Interconnection on Verizon's network in a LATA such as Verizon's 911/E-911 Tandem Office(s)/Selective Router(s) and/or (ii) a fiber meet point to which the Parties mutually agree under the terms of this Agreement, for the transmission and routing of Telephone Exchange Service and Exchange Access. By way of example, a technically feasible Point of Interconnection on Verizon's network in a LATA would include an applicable Verizon Tandem Interconnection Wire Center or Verizon End Office Interconnection Wire Center but, notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement or otherwise, would not include an Intrado Comm Interconnection Wire Center, Intrado Comm switch or any portion of a transport facility provided by Verizon to Intrado Comm or another party between (x) a Verizon Interconnection Wire Center or switch and (y) the Interconnection Wire Center or switch of Intrado Comm or another party. For brevity's sake, the foregoing examples of locations that, respectively, are and are not "on Verizon's network" shall apply (and are hereby incorporated by reference) each time the term "on Verizon's network" is used in this Agreement.
- 1.2 In geographic areas in which Intrado Comm has been designated as the 911/E-911 Service Provider, Verizon shall exchange 911/E-911 Calls with Intrado Comm as specified in Section 2.1.2.

# 2. Points of Interconnection and Trunk Types

- 2.1 Point(s) of Interconnection.
  - 2.1.1 When Verizon has been designated as the 911/E-911 Service

    Provider, Eeach Party, at its own expense, shall provide transport facilities to the technically feasible Point(s) of Interconnection on Verizon's network in a LATA selected by Intrado Comm or the fiber meet point established pursuant to Section 3.1 of this Attachment.
  - 2.1.2 When Intrado Comm has been designated as the 911/E-911 Service Provider, Verizon shall transport 911/E-911 Service traffic to two (2) geographically diverse POIs on Intrado Comm's network ("Intrado Comm POIs"). This traffic may be aggregated but not switched prior to hand-off at the Intrado Comm POIs.
    - 2.1.2.1 Verizon will provide 911/E-911 facility transport to the Intrado Comm POIs for the termination of 911/E-911
      Calls to Intrado Comm's network. The 911/E-911
      transport facility shall be capable of termination at a DS1 level and shall be physically provisioned in a diverse manner such that there will be no single point of facility or hardware failure between the originating office serving Verizon's Customers and each geographically diverse Intrado Comm POI.

- 2.1.2.2 Verizon will order from Intrado Comm a sufficient quantity of DS1 and DS0 terminations to Intrado Comm's network via the Access Service Request (ASR) process, in quantities such that a P.01 grade of service is maintained for each End Office trunk group established for use by Verizon's Customers.
- 2.1.2.3 Verizon will order a minimum of two (2) DS0

  terminations over each DS1 termination ordered from Intrado Comm.
- 2.1.2.4 Verizon shall utilize Signaling System 7 (SS7) signaling protocol for DS0 terminations to Intrado Comm's network where technically feasible.
- 2.1.2.5 Verizon must maintain an official NENA Company
  Identifier and remain in good standing with NENA
  standards, including, but not limited to, the requirement
  that Verizon make live technical assistance available on
  a 24 hour, 7 day a week, basis, in the event a 911
  Controlling Authority needs to contact Verizon for
  information that may assist with call tracing or problem
  resolution.
- 2.1.2.6 Verizon must provide an official Access Carrier Name
  Abbreviation (ACNA) (currently assigned by Telcordia
  Technologies, Inc.) and a valid national Operating
  Company Number (OCN) (currently assigned by the
  National Exchange Carrier Association (NECA)) for use
  in Intrado Comm's ordering, billing, maintenance, and
  inventorying systems.
- 2.2 Trunk Types.
  - 2.2.1 In interconnecting their networks pursuant to this Attachment, the Parties will use, as appropriate, the following separate and distinct trunk groups:
    - 2.2.1.1 Interconnection Trunks for the transmission and routing of Reciprocal Compensation Traffic, translated LEC IntraLATA toll free service access code (e.g., 800/888/877) traffic, 911/E-911 Calls, and IntraLATA Toll Traffic, between their respective Telephone Exchange Service Customers, Tandem Transit Traffic, and, Measured-InternetISP-Bound Traffic, all in accordance with Sections 5 through 8 of this Attachment;
    - 2.2.1.2 Access Toll Connecting Trunks for the transmission and routing of Exchange Access traffic, including translated InterLATA toll free service access code (e.g., 800/888/877) traffic, between Intrado Comm Telephone Exchange Service Customers and purchasers of Switched Exchange Access Service via a Verizon access Tandem in accordance with Sections 9 through 11 of this Attachment; and

- 2.2.1.3 Miscellaneous Trunk Groups as mutually agreed to by the Parties, including, but not limited to: (a) choke trunks for traffic congestion and testing; and, (b) untranslated IntraLATA/InterLATA toll free service access code (e.g. 800/888/877) traffic.
- Other types of trunk groups may be used by the Parties as provided in other Attachments to this Agreement—(e.g., 911/E-911-Trunks—as provided in the 911-Attachment to this Agreement) or in other separate agreements between the Parties (e.g., directory assistance trunks, operator services trunks, BLV/BLVI trunks or trunks for 500/555 traffic).
- 2.2.3 In accordance with the terms of this Agreement, the Parties will deploy One-Way Interconnection Trunks (trunks with traffic going in one direction, including one-way trunks and uni-directional two-way trunks) and/or Two-Way Interconnection Trunks (trunks with traffic going in both-directions).
- 2.2.4 Intrado Comm shall establish, at the technically feasible Point(s) of Interconnection on Verizon's network in a LATA, separate Interconnection Trunk group(s) between such POI(s) and each Verizon Tandem in a LATA with a subtending End Office(s) to which Intrado Comm originates calls for Verizon to terminate. This Section 2.2.4 does not apply to the exchange of 911/E-911 Calls between the Parties.
- 2.2.5 In the event the volume of traffic between a Verizon End Office and a technically feasible Point of Interconnection on Verizon's network in a LATA, which is carried by a Final Tandem Interconnection Trunk group, exceeds (a) the Centum Call Seconds (Hundred Call Seconds) busy hour equivalent of one (1) DS1 at any time; (b) 200,000 minutes of use for a single month; and/or; (c) 600 busy hour Centum Call Seconds (BHCCS) of use for a single month: (i) if One-Way Interconnection-Trunks are used, the originating Party shall promptly establish new or augment existing End Office One-Way Interconnection Trunk groups between the Verizon End Office and the technically feasible Point of Interconnection on Verizon's network; or, (ii) if Two-Way Interconnection Trunks are used, Intrado Comm shall promptly submit an ASR to Verizon to establish new or augment existing End-Office-Two-Way Interconnection Trunk group(s) between that Verizon End Office and the technically feasible Point of Interconnection on Verizon's network. This Section 2.2.5 does not apply to the exchange of 911/E-911 Calls between the Parties.
- 2.2.6 Except as otherwise agreed in writing by the Parties, the total number of Tandem Interconnection Trunks between a technically feasible Point of Interconnection on Verizon's network and a Verizon Tandem will be limited to a maximum of 240 trunks. In the event that the volume of traffic between a technically feasible Point of Interconnection on Verizon's network and a Verizon Tandem exceeds, or reasonably can be expected to exceed, the capacity of the 240 trunks, Intrado Comm shall promptly submit an ASR to Verizon to establish new or additional End Office Trunks to insure that the volume of traffic between the technically feasible Point of Interconnection on Verizon's network and the Verizon Tandem does not exceed the

capacity of the 240 trunks. This Section 2.2.6 does not apply to the exchange of 911/E-911 Calls between the Parties.

- 2.3 One-Way Interconnection Trunks.
  - 2.3.1 Where <u>Verizon is the designated 911/E-911 Service Provider and</u> the Parties use One-Way Interconnection Trunks for the delivery of traffic from Intrado Comm to Verizon, Intrado Comm, at Intrado Comm's own expense, shall:
    - 2.3.1.1 provide its own facilities for delivery of the traffic to the technically feasible Point(s) of Interconnection on Verizon's network in a LATA; and/or
    - 2.3.1.2 obtain transport for delivery of the traffic to the technically feasible Point(s) of Interconnection on Verizon's network in a LATA (a) from a third party, or, (b) if Verizon offers such transport pursuant to a Verizon access Tariff, from Verizon.
  - 2.3.2 For each Tandem or End Office One-Way Interconnection Trunk group for delivery of traffic from Intrado Comm to Verizon with a utilization level of less than sixty percent (60%) for final trunk groups and eighty-five percent (85%) for high usage trunk groups, unless the Parties agree otherwise, Intrado Comm will promptly submit ASRs to disconnect a sufficient number of Interconnection Trunks to attain a utilization level of approximately sixty percent (60%) for all final trunk groups and eighty-five percent (85%) for all high usage trunk groups. In the event Intrado Comm fails to submit an ASR to disconnect One-Way Interconnection Trunks as required by this Section, Verizon may disconnect the excess Interconnection Trunks or bill (and Intrado Comm shall pay) for the excess Interconnection Trunks at the rates set forth in the Pricing Attachment.
  - 2.3.3 Where <u>Verizon is the designated 911/E-911 Service Provider and the</u>
    Parties use One-Way Interconnection Trunks for the delivery of traffic
    from Verizon to Intrado Comm, Verizon, at Verizon's own expense,
    shall provide its own facilities for delivery of the traffic to the technically
    feasible Point(s) of Interconnection on Verizon's network in a LATA.
- 2.4[Intentionally Left Blank]. Two-Way Interconnection Trunks.
  - 2.4.1Where the Parties use Two-Way Interconnection Trunks for the exchange of traffic between Verizon and Intrado Comm, Intrado Comm, at its own expense, shall:
    - 2.4.1.1 provide its own facilities to the technically feasible Point(s) of Interconnection on Verizon's network in a LATA; and/or
    - 2.4.1.2obtain transport to the technically feasible Point(s) of Interconnection on Verizon's network in a LATA (a) from a third party, or, (b) if Verizon offers such transport pursuant to a Verizon access Tariff, from Verizon.
  - 2.4.2Where the Parties use Two Way Interconnection Trunks for the exchange of traffic between Verizon and Intrado Comm, Verizon, at its own expense, shall provide its own facilities to the technically feasible Point(s) of Interconnection on Verizon's network in a LATA.

- 2.4.3Prior to establishing any Two-Way Interconnection Trunks, Intrado Comm shall meet with Verizon to conduct a joint planning meeting ("Joint Planning Meeting"). At that Joint Planning Meeting, each Party shall provide to the other Party originating Centum Call Seconds (Hundred Call Seconds) information, and the Parties shall mutually agree on the appropriate initial number of End Office and Tandem Two-Way Interconnection-Trunks and the interface specifications at the technically feasible Point(s) of Interconnection on Verizon's network in a LATA at which the Parties interconnect for the exchange of traffic. Where the Parties have agreed to convert existing One-Way Interconnection Trunks to Two-Way Interconnection Trunks, at the Joint Planning Meeting, the Parties shall also mutually agree on the conversion-process and project intervals for conversion of such-One-Way Interconnection Trunks.
- 2.4.4On a semi-annual basis, Intrado Comm shall submit a good faith forecast to Verizon of the number of End-Office and Tandem-Two-Way Interconnection-Trunks that Intrado Comm anticipates Verizon will need to provide during the ensuing two (2) year period for the exchange of traffic between Intrado Comm and Verizon. Intrado Comm's trunk forecasts shall conform to the Verizon CLEC trunk forecasting guidelines as in effect at that time.
- 2.4.5The Parties shall meet (telephonically or in person) from time to time, as needed, to review data on End Office and Tandem Two-Way Interconnection Trunks to determine the need for new trunk groups and to plan any necessary changes in the number of Two-Way Interconnection Trunks.
- 2.4.6Two-Way Interconnection Trunks shall have SS7 Common Channel Signaling. The Parties agree to utilize B8ZS and Extended Super Frame (ESF) DS1 facilities, where available.
- 2.4.7With respect to End Office Two-Way Interconnection Trunks, both Parties shall use an economic Centum Call Seconds (Hundred Call Seconds) equal to five (5). Either Party may disconnect End Office Two-Way Interconnection Trunks that, based on reasonable engineering criteria and capacity constraints, are not warranted by the actual traffic volume experienced.
- 2.4.8Two-Way Interconnection Trunk groups that connect to a Verizon access Tandem shall be engineered using a design blocking objective of Neal-Wilkinson B.005 during the average time consistent busy hour. Two-Way Interconnection Trunk groups that connect to a Verizon local Tandem shall be engineered using a design blocking objective of Neal-Wilkinson B.01 during the average time consistent busy hour. Verizon and Intrado Comm shall engineer Two-Way Interconnection Trunks using Telcordia Notes on the Networks SR 2275 (formerly known as BOC Notes on the LEC Networks SR-TSV-002275).
- 2.4.9The performance standard for final Two-Way Interconnection Trunk groups shall be that no such Interconnection Trunk group will exceed its design blocking objective (B.005 or B.01, as applicable) for three (3) consecutive calendar traffic study months.
- 2.4.10Intrado Comm shall determine and order the number of Two-Way

  Interconnection Trunks that are required to meet the applicable design

blocking objective for all traffic carried on each Two-Way Interconnection Trunk group. Intrado Comm-shall order Two-Way Interconnection Trunks by submitting ASRs to Verizon setting forth the number of Two-Way Interconnection Trunks to be installed and the requested installation dates within Verizon's effective standard intervals or negotiated intervals, as appropriate. Intrado-Comm shall complete ASRs in accordance with OBF-Guidelines as in effect from time to time.

- 2.4.11Verizon may (but shall not be obligated to) monitor Two-Way
  Interconnection Trunk groups using service results for the applicable
  design blocking objective. If Verizon observes blocking in excess of
  the applicable design objective on any Tandem Two-Way
  Interconnection-Trunk group and Intrado Comm has not notified
  Verizon that it has corrected such blocking, Verizon may submit to
  Intrado Comm a Trunk Group Service Request directing Intrado
  Comm to remedy the blocking. Upon receipt of a Trunk Group Service
  Request, Intrado Comm will complete an ASR to establish or augment
  the End Office-Two-Way Interconnection Trunk group(s), or, if mutually
  agreed, to augment the Tandem Two-Way Interconnection Trunk
  group with excessive blocking and submit the ASR to Verizon within
  five (5)-Business-Days.
- 2.4.12The Parties will review all Tandem Two-Way Interconnection Trunk groups that reach a utilization level of seventy percent (70%), or greater, to determine whether those groups should be augmented. Intrado Comm will promptly augment all Tandem Two-Way Interconnection Trunk groups that reach a utilization level of eighty percent (80%) by submitting ASRs for additional trunks sufficient to attain a utilization level of approximately seventy percent (70%), unless the Parties agree that additional trunking is not required. For each Tandem Two-Way Interconnection Trunk group with a utilization level of less than sixty percent (60%), unless the Parties agree otherwise, Intrado Comm will promptly submit ASRs to disconnect a sufficient number of Interconnection Trunks to attain a utilization level of approximately sixty percent (60%) for each respective group, unless the Parties agree that the Two-Way Interconnection Trunks should not be disconnected. In the event Intrado Comm fails to submit an ASR for Two-Way Interconnection Trunks in conformance with this Section, Verizon may disconnect the excess Interconnection Trunks or bill (and Intrado Comm shall pay) for the excess Interconnection Trunks at the applicable Verizon rates.
- 2.4.132.3.4 Because Verizon will not be in control of when and how many
  Two-Way Interconnection Trunks are established between its network
  and Intrado Comm's network, Verizon's performance in connection
  with these Two-Way Interconnection Trunk groups shall not be subject
  to any performance measurements and remedies under this
  Agreement, and, except as otherwise required by Applicable Law,
  under any FCC or Commission approved carrier to carrier
  performance assurance guidelines or plan.

Intrado Comm-will route its traffic to Verizon over the End Office and Tandem
Two Way Interconnection Trunks in accordance with SR-TAP-000191, including
but not limited to those standards requiring that a call from Intrado Comm to a

Verizon End Office will first be routed to the End-Office Interconnection Trunk group between Intrado Comm and the Verizon End Office.

# 3. Alternative Interconnection Arrangements

- 3.1 Fiber Meet Arrangement Provisions.
  - Each Party may request a Fiber Meet arrangement by providing 3.1.1 written notice thereof to the other Party-if each of the following conditions has been met: (a) the Parties have consistently been exchanging an amount of applicable traffic (as set forth in Section 3.1.3 below) in the relevant exchanges equal to at least one (1) DS-3; and (b) neither Intrado Comm no any of Intrado Comm's Affiliates has an overdue balance on any bill rendered to Intrado Comm or Intrado Comm's Affiliates for charges that are not subject to a good faith dispute. Any such Fiber Meet arrangement shall be subject to the terms of this Agreement. In addition, the establishment of any Fiber Meet arrangement is expressly conditioned upon the Parties mutually agreeing to the technical specifications and requirements for such Fiber Meet arrangement including, but not limited to, the location of the Fiber Meet points, routing, equipment (e.g., specifications of Add/Drop Multiplexers, number of strands of fiber, etc.), software, ordering, provisioning, maintenance, repair, testing, augment and on any other technical specifications or requirements necessary to implement the Fiber Meet arrangement. For each Fiber Meet arrangement the Parties agree to implement, the Parties will complete and sign a Technical Specifications and Requirements document, the form of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A to Section 3 of the Interconnection Attachment Fiber Meet Arrangement Provisions. Each such document will be treated as Confidential Information.
  - 3.1.2 The Parties agree to consider the possibility of using existing fiber cable with spare capacity, where available, to implement any such request for a Fiber Meet arrangement. If existing fiber cable with spare capacity is not available, the Parties agree to minimize the construction and deployment of fiber cable necessary for any Fiber Meet arrangement to which they agree. Except as otherwise agreed by the Parties, any and all Fiber Meet points established between the Parties shall extend no further than three (3) miles from an applicable Verizon Tandem or End Office and Verizon shall not be required to construct or deploy more than five hundred (500) feet of fiber cable for a Fiber Meet arrangement.
  - 3.1.3 A Fiber Meet arrangement established under this Agreement may be used for the transmission and routing of only the following traffic types (over the Interconnection Trunks):
    - 3.1.3.1 Reciprocal Compensation Traffic between the Parties' respective Telephone Exchange Service Customers;
    - 3.1.3.2 Translated LEC IntraLATA toll free service access code (e.g., 800/888/877) traffic between the Parties' respective Telephone Exchange Service Customers;
    - 3.1.3.3 IntraLATA Toll Traffic between the Parties' respective Telephone Exchange Service Customers;

- 3.1.3.4 Tandem Transit Traffic; and
- 3.1.3.5 Measured InternetISP-Bound Traffic; and
- 3.1.3.6 911/E-911 Calls.

To the extent that a Fiber Meet arrangement established under this Agreement is used for the transmission and routing of traffic of the types set forth in Sections 3.1.3.1 and/or 3.1.3.65, other than the obligation to pay intercarrier compensation charges pursuant to the terms of the Agreement, neither Party shall have any obligation to pay the other Party any charges in connection with any Fiber Meet arrangements established under this Agreement. To the extent that a Fiber Meet arrangement established under this Agreement is used for the transmission and routing of traffic of the type set forth in Section 3.1.3.2. the transport and termination of such traffic shall be subject to the rates and charges set forth in the Agreement and applicable Tariffs. To the extent that a Fiber Meet arrangement established under this Agreement is used for the transmission and routing of traffic of the type set forth in Section 3.1.3.3, the Party originating such traffic shall compensate the terminating Party for the transport and termination of such traffic at the rates and charges set forth in the Agreement and applicable Tariffs. To the extent that a Fiber Meet arrangement established under this Agreement is used for the transmission and routing of traffic of the type set forth in Section 3.1.3.4, Verizon shall charge (and Intrado Comm shall pay) Verizon's applicable rates and charges as set forth in the Agreement and Verizon's applicable Tariffs.

- 3.1.4 At Intrado Comm's written request, a Fiber Meet arrangement established under this Agreement may be used for the transmission and routing of the following traffic types over the following trunk types:
  - 3.1.4.1 Operator services traffic from Intrado Comm's Telephone Exchange Service Customers to an operator services provider over operator services trunks;
  - 3.1.4.2 Directory assistance traffic from Intrado Comm's Telephone Exchange Service Customers to a directory assistance provider over directory assistance trunks;
  - 3.1.4.3 911/E9-11 tTraffic from Intrado Comm's Telephone Exchange Service Customers to 911/E-911 Tandem Office(s)/Selective Router(s) over 911/E-911 trunks; and
  - 3.1.4.4 Jointly-provided Switched Exchange Access Service traffic, including translated InterLATA toll free service access code (e.g., 800/888/877) traffic, between Intrado Comm's Telephone Exchange Service Customers and third-party purchasers of Switched Exchange Access Service via a Verizon access Tandem over Access Toll Connecting Trunks.

To the extent that a Fiber Meet arrangement established under this Agreement is used for the transmission and routing of any traffic of the types set forth in this Section 3.1.4 the PartiesVerizon may bill (and Intrado Comm shall pay) each other the Verizon's applicable Tariff

rates and charges set forth in the Pricing Attachment to this Agreement and Appendix A to the Pricing Attachment. Except as otherwise agreed in writing by the Parties or as expressly set forth in Sections 3.1.3 and/or 3.1.4 of this Interconnection Attachment, access services (switched and unswitched) and unbundled network elements shall not be provisioned on or accessed through Fiber Meet arrangements.

3.1.5 Intrado Comm Each Party will include traffic to be exchanged over Fiber Meet arrangements in its forecasts provided to the other Party Verizon under the Agreement.

# 4. Initiating Interconnection

- 4.1 If Intrado Comm determines to offer Telephone Exchange Services and to interconnect with Verizon in any LATA in which Verizon also offers Telephone Exchange Services and in which the Parties are not already interconnected pursuant to this Agreement, Intrado Comm shall provide written notice to Verizon of the need to establish Interconnection in such LATA pursuant to this Agreement.
  - 4.1.1 If the LATAs included in Intrado Comm's notice provided pursuant to Section 4.1 of this Attachment includes geographic areas in which Intrado Comm is the designated 911/E-911 Service Provider, Verizon shall provide certain information to Intrado Comm to establish Interconnection in such LATA pursuant to this Agreement.
- 4.2 The Intrado Comm's notice provided in Section 4.1 of this Attachment shall include (a) the initial Routing Point(s); (b) the applicable technically feasible Point(s) of Interconnection on Verizon's network to be established in the relevant LATA in accordance with this Agreement for areas in which Verizon is the designated 911/E-911 Service Provider; (c) Intrado Comm's intended Interconnection activation date; (d) a forecast of Intrado Comm's trunking requirements conforming to Section 14.2 of this Attachment; and (e) such other information as Verizon shall reasonably request in order to facilitate Interconnection.
  - 4.2.1 Pursuant to Section 4.1.1 of this Attachment, Verizon shall (a) work with Intrado Comm to designate the two (2) geographically diverse POIs to be established on Intrado Comm's network for Verizon's transport of 911/E-911 Calls to Intrado Comm in geographic areas in which Intrado Comm is the designated 911/E-911 Service Provider pursuant to Section 2.1.2 of this Attachment; (b) provide Intrado Comm a forecast of Verizon's trunking requirements conforming to Section 14.2 of this Attachment; and (c) provide such other information as Intrado Comm shall reasonably request in order to facilitate Interconnection.
- 4.3 The interconnection activation date in the new LATA shall be mutually agreed to by the Parties after receipt by <u>each PartyVerizon</u> of all necessary information as indicated above. Within ten (10) Business Days of <u>each PartyVerizon</u>'s receipt of <u>Intrado Comm's notice-the information</u> provided for in Sections 4.1 and 4.2 of this Attachment, Verizon and Intrado Comm shall confirm <u>the information provided</u> the technically feasible Point of Interconnection on Verizon's network in the new

LATA and the mutually agreed upon Interconnection activation date for the new LATA.

# 5. Transmission and Routing of Telephone Exchange Service Traffic

5.1 Scope of Traffic.

Section 5 prescribes parameters for Interconnection Trunks used for Interconnection pursuant to Sections 2 through 4 of this Attachment.

- 5.2 Trunk Group Connections and Ordering.
  - 5.2.1 For both-One-Way and Two-Way Interconnection Trunks, if Intrado Comm wishes to use a technically feasible interface other than a DS1 or a DS3 facility at the POI, the Parties shall negotiate reasonable terms and conditions (including, without limitation, rates and implementation timeframes) for such arrangement; and, if the Parties cannot agree to such terms and conditions (including, without limitation, rates and implementation timeframes), either Party may utilize the Agreement's dispute resolution procedures.
  - When One-Way er Two-Way-Interconnection Trunks are provisioned using a DS3 interface facility, if Intrado Comm orders the multiplexed DS3 facilities to a Verizon Central Office that is not designated in the NECA 4 Tariff as the appropriate Intermediate Hub location (i.e., the Intermediate Hub location in the appropriate Tandem subtending area based on the LERG), and the provision of such facilities to the subject Central Office is technically feasible, the Parties shall negotiate in good faith reasonable terms and conditions (including, without limitation, rates and implementation timeframes) for such arrangement; and, if the Parties cannot agree to such terms and conditions (including, without limitation, rates and implementation timeframes), either Party may utilize the Agreement's dispute resolution procedures.
  - 5.2.3 Each Party will identify its Carrier Identification Code, a three or four digit numeric code obtained from Telcordia, to the other Party when ordering a trunk group.
  - 5.2.4 For multi-frequency (MF) signaling each Party will out pulse ten (10) digits to the other Party, unless the Parties mutually agree otherwise.
  - 5.2.5 Each Party will use commercially reasonable efforts to monitor trunk groups under its control and to augment those groups using generally accepted trunk-engineering standards so as to not exceed blocking objectives. Each Party agrees to use modular trunk-engineering techniques for trunks subject to this Attachment.
- 5.3 Switching System Hierarchy and Trunking Requirements.

For purposes of routing Intrado Comm traffic to Verizon, the subtending arrangements between Verizon Tandems and Verizon End Offices shall be the same as the Tandem/End Office subtending arrangements Verizon maintains for the routing of its own or other carriers' traffic (i.e., traffic will be routed to the appropriate Verizon Tandem subtended by the terminating End Office serving the Verizon Customer). For purposes of routing Verizon traffic to Intrado Comm, the subtending arrangements between Intrado Comm Tandems and Intrado Comm

End Offices shall be the same as the Tandem/End Office subtending arrangements that Intrado Comm maintains for the routing of its own or other carriers' traffic. If Verizon exercises special circuit identification safeguards and higher levels of care and restoration priority for 911/E-911 trunk groups in areas in which Verizon is the 911/E-911 Service Provider, such identification safeguards and levels of care shall be applied in parity for Intrado Comm 911/E-911 trunk groups.

5.4 Signaling.

Each Party will provide the other Party with access to its databases and associated signaling necessary for the routing and completion of the other Party's traffic in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement and any applicable Tariff.

5.5 Grades of Service.

The Parties shall initially engineer and shall monitor and augment all trunk groups consistent with the Joint Process as set forth in Section 14.1 of this Attachment.

# 6. Traffic Measurement and Billing over Interconnection Trunks

- For billing purposes of traffic exchanged between the Parties that is non 911/E-911 Call traffic, each Party shall pass Calling Party Number (CPN) information on at least ninety-five percent (95%) of calls carried over the Interconnection Trunks.
  - 6.1.1 As used in this Section 6, "Traffic Rate" means the applicable Reciprocal Compensation Traffic rate, Measured Internet ISP-Bound Traffic rate, intrastate Switched Exchange Access Service rate, interstate Switched Exchange Access Service rate, or intrastate/interstate Tandem Transit Traffic rate, as provided in the Pricing Attachment, an applicable Tariff, or, for Measured Internet ISP-Bound Traffic, the FCC Internet Order.
  - 6.1.2 If the originating Party passes CPN on ninety-five percent (95%) or more of its calls, the receiving Party shall bill the originating Party the Traffic Rate applicable to each relevant minute of traffic for which CPN is passed. For any remaining (up to 5%) calls without CPN information, the receiving Party shall bill the originating Party for such traffic at the Traffic Rate applicable to each relevant minute of traffic, in direct proportion to the minutes of use of calls passed with CPN information.
  - 6.1.3 If the originating Party passes CPN on less than ninety-five percent (95%) of its calls and the originating Party chooses to combine Reciprocal Compensation Traffic and Toll Traffic on the same trunk group, the receiving Party shall bill the higher of its interstate Switched Exchange Access Service rates or its intrastate Switched Exchange Access Services rates for all traffic that is passed without CPN, unless the Parties agree that other rates should apply to such traffic.
- At such time as a receiving Party has the capability, on an automated basis, to use such CPN to classify non-911/E-911 Call traffic delivered over Interconnection Trunks by the other Party by Traffic Rate type (e.g., Reciprocal Compensation Traffic/Measured InternetISP-Bound Traffic, intrastate Switched Exchange Access Service, interstate Switched Exchange Access Service, or

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intrastate/interstate Tandem Transit Traffic), such receiving Party shall bill the originating Party the Traffic Rate applicable to each relevant minute of traffic for which CPN is passed. If the receiving Party lacks the capability, on an automated basis, to use CPN information on an automated basis to classify non-911/E-911 Call traffic delivered by the other Party by Traffic Rate type, the originating Party will supply Traffic Factor 1 (PIU) and Traffic Factor 2 (PLU). The Traffic Factors shall be supplied in writing by the originating Party within thirty (30) days of the Effective Date and shall be updated in writing by the originating Party quarterly. Measurement of billing minutes for purposes of determining terminating compensation shall be in conversation seconds (the time in seconds that the Parties equipment is used for a completed call, measured from the receipt of answer supervision to the receipt of disconnect supervision). Measurement of billing minutes for originating toll free service access code (e.g., 800/888/877) calls shall be in accordance with applicable Tariffs. Determination as to whether traffic is Reciprocal Compensation Traffic or Measured InternetISP-Bound Traffic shall be made in accordance with Paragraphs 8 and 79, and other applicable provisions, of the FCC Internet Order (including, but not limited to, in accordance with the rebuttable presumption established by the FCC Internet Order that non-911/E-911 Call traffic delivered to a carrier that exceeds a 3:1 ratio of terminating to originating traffic is Measured Internet[SP-Bound Traffic, and in accordance with the process established by the FCC Internet Order for rebutting such presumption before the Commission or FCC, if applicable).

- Each Party reserves the right to audit all <u>Tnon-911/E-911 Call traffic exchanged between the Parties</u>, up to a maximum of two audits per Calendar Year, to ensure that rates are being applied appropriately; provided, however, that either Party shall have the right to conduct additional audit(s) if the preceding audit disclosed material errors or discrepancies. Each Party agrees to provide the necessary <u>non-911/E-911 Call</u> <u>Ttraffic data</u> in conjunction with any such audit in a timely manner.
- 6.4 Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed to limit either Party's ability to designate the areas within which that Party's Customers may make calls which that Party rates as "local" in its Customer Tariffs.
- [Intentionally Left Blank]. If and, to the extent that, an Intrado Comm Customer receives V/FX Traffic, Intrado Comm-shall promptly provide notice thereof to Verizon (such notice to include, without limitation, the specific telephone number(s) that the Customer uses for V/FX Traffic, as well as the LATA in which the Customer's station is actually physically located) and shall not bill Verizon Reciprocal Compensation, intercarrier compensation or any other charges for calls placed by Verizon's Customers to such Intrado Comm Customers.

#### 7. Reciprocal Compensation Arrangements Pursuant to Section 251(b)(5) of the Act

7.1 Reciprocal Compensation.

The Parties shall exchange Reciprocal Compensation Traffic at the technically feasible Point(s) of Interconnection on Verizon's network in a LATA designated in accordance with the terms of this Agreement. The Party originating Reciprocal Compensation Traffic shall compensate the terminating Party for the transport and termination of such traffic to its Customer in accordance with Section 251(b)(5) of the Act at the equal and symmetrical rates stated in the Pricing Attachment; it being understood and agreed that Verizon shall charge (and Intrado Comm shall pay Verizon) the End Office Reciprocal Compensation rate set forth in the Pricing Attachment for Reciprocal Compensation Traffic Intrado

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Comm physically delivers to a POI at the Verizon Interconnection Wire Center in which the terminating Verizon End Office is located, and otherwise that Verizon shall charge (Intrado Comm shall pay Verizon) the Tandem Reciprocal Compensation rate set forth in the Pricing Attachment for Reciprocal Compensation Traffic Intrado Comm delivers to Verizon; it also being understood and agreed that Intrado Comm shall charge (and Verizon shall pay Intrado Comm) the End Office Reciprocal Compensation rate set forth in the Pricing Attachment for Reciprocal Compensation Traffic Verizon delivers to Intrado Comm. These rates are to be applied at the technically feasible Point(s) of Interconnection on Verizon's network in a LATA at which the Parties interconnect, whether such traffic is delivered by Verizon for termination by Intrado Comm, or delivered by Intrado Comm for termination by Verizon. No additional charges shall be assessed by the terminating Party for the transport and termination of such traffic from the technically feasible Point(s) of Interconnection on Verizon's network in a LATA to its Customer; provided, however, for the avoidance of any doubt, Intrado Comm shall also pay Verizon, at the rates set forth in the Pricing Attachment, for any multiplexing, cross connects or other collocation related Services that Intrado Comm obtains from Verizon. When Toll Traffic is delivered over the same Interconnection Trunks as Reciprocal Compensation Traffic, any port, transport or other applicable access charges related to the delivery of Toll Traffic from the technically feasible Point of Interconnection on Verizon's network in a LATA to the terminating Party's Customer shall be prorated so as to apply only to the Toll Traffic. The designation of traffic as Reciprocal Compensation Traffic for purposes of Reciprocal Compensation shall be based on the actual originating and terminating points of the complete end-to-end communication.

- 7.2 Traffic Not Subject to Reciprocal Compensation.
  - 7.2.1 Reciprocal Compensation shall not apply to interstate or intrastate Exchange Access (including, without limitation, Virtual Foreign Exchange Traffic (i.e., V/FX-Traffic), Information Access, or exchange services for Exchange Access or Information Access.
  - 7.2.2 Reciprocal Compensation shall not apply to Internet ISP-Bound Traffic except as set forth in the FCC Internet Order.
  - 7.2.3 Reciprocal Compensation shall not apply to Toll Traffic, including, but not limited to, calls originated on a 1+ presubscription basis, or on a casual dialed (10XXX/101XXXX) basis.
  - 7.2.4 Reciprocal Compensation shall not apply to Optional Extended Local Calling Scope Arrangement Traffic.
  - 7.2.5 Reciprocal Compensation shall not apply to special access, private line, or any other traffic that is not switched by the terminating Party.
  - 7.2.6 Reciprocal Compensation shall not apply to Tandem Transit Traffic.
  - 7.2.7 Reciprocal Compensation shall not apply to Voice Information Service Traffic (as defined in Section 5 of the Additional Services Attachment).
  - 7.2.8 Reciprocal Compensation shall not apply to traffic that is not subject to Reciprocal Compensation under Section 251(b)(5) of the Act.
  - 7.2.9 [Intentionally Left Blank]. Reciprocal Compensation shall not apply to Virtual Foreign Exchange Traffic (i.e., V/FX Traffic). As used in this

Agreement, "Virtual Foreign Exchange Traffic" or "V/FX Traffic" is defined as calls in which an Intrado Comm Customer is assigned a telephone number with an NXX Code (as set forth in the LERG) associated with an exchange that is different than the exchange (as set forth in the LERG) associated with the actual physical location of such Customer's station. For the avoidance of any doubt, Intrado Comm shall pay Verizon's originating access charges for all V/FX Traffic originated by a Verizon Customer, and Intrado Comm shall pay Verizon's terminating access charges for all V/FX Traffic originated by an Intrado Comm Customer.

- 7.2.10 Reciprocal Compensation shall not apply to 911/E-911 Traffic.
- 7.3 The Reciprocal Compensation rates (including, but not limited to, the Reciprocal Compensation per minute of use charges) billed by Intrado Comm to Verizon shall not exceed the Reciprocal Compensation rates (including, but not limited to, Reciprocal Compensation per minute of use charges) billed by Verizon to Intrado Comm.

# 8. Other Types of Traffic

- 8.1 Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement or any Tariff: (a) the Parties' rights and obligations with respect to any intercarrier compensation that may be due in connection with their exchange of <a href="Internetisp-Bound">Internetisp-Bound</a> Traffic shall be governed by the terms of the FCC Internet Order, and other applicable FCC orders and FCC Regulations, and related <a href="judicial decisions">judicial decisions</a>; and, (b) a Party shall not be obligated to pay any intercarrier compensation for <a href="Internetisp-Bound">Internetisp-Bound</a> Traffic that is in excess of the intercarrier compensation for <a href="Internetisp-Bound">Internetisp-Bound</a> Traffic that such Party is required to pay under the FCC Internet Order, and other applicable FCC orders and FCC Regulations, and related <a href="judicial decisions">judicial decisions</a>.
- 8.2 Subject to Section 8.1 of this Attachment, interstate and intrastate Exchange Access, Information Access, exchange services for Exchange Access or Information Access, and Toll Traffic, shall be governed by the applicable provisions of this Agreement and applicable Tariffs.
- 8.3 For any traffic originating with a third party carrier and delivered by Intrado Gommone Party to the other PartyVerizon, Intrado Gommthe Parties shall pay Verizoneach other the same amount that such third party carrier would have been obligated to pay Verizonthe terminating Party for termination of that traffic at the location the traffic is delivered to the terminating PartyVerizon by Intrado Gommthe other Party.
- 8.4 Any traffic not specifically addressed in this Agreement shall be treated as required by the applicable Tariff of the Party transporting and/or terminating the traffic.
- 8.5 The Parties may also exchange <a href="internet|SP-Bound">internet|SP-Bound</a> Traffic at the technically feasible Point(s) of Interconnection on Verizon's network in a LATA established hereunder for the exchange of Reciprocal Compensation Traffic. Any intercarrier compensation that may be due in connection with the Parties' exchange of <a href="Internet|SP-Bound">Internet|SP-Bound</a> Traffic shall be applied at such technically feasible Point of Interconnection on Verizon's network in a LATA in accordance with the FCC Internet Order.
- 9. Transmission and Routing of Exchange Access Traffic

# 9.1 Scope of Traffic.

Section 9 prescribes parameters for certain trunks to be established over the Interconnections specified in Sections 2 through 5 of this Attachment for the transmission and routing of traffic between Intrado Comm Telephone Exchange Service Customers and Interexchange Carriers ("Access Toll Connecting Trunks"), in any case where Intrado Comm elects to have its End Office Switch subtend a Verizon Tandem. This includes casually-dialed (1010XXX and 101XXXX) traffic.

- 9.2 Access Toll Connecting Trunk Group Architecture.
  - 9.2.1 If Intrado Comm chooses to subtend a Verizon access Tandem, Intrado Comm's NPA/NXX must be assigned by Intrado Comm to subtend the same Verizon access Tandem that a Verizon NPA/NXX serving the same Rate Center Area subtends as identified in the LERG.
  - 9.2.2 Intrado Comm shall establish Access Toll Connecting Trunks pursuant to applicable access Tariffs by which it will provide Switched Exchange Access Services to Interexchange Carriers to enable such Interexchange Carriers to originate and terminate traffic to and from Intrado Comm's Customers.
  - 9.2.3 The Access Toll Connecting Trunks shall be two-way trunks. Such trunks shall connect the End Office Intrado Comm utilizes to provide Telephone Exchange Service and Switched Exchange Access to its Customers in a given LATA to the access Tandem(s) Verizon utilizes to provide Exchange Access in such LATA.
  - 9.2.4 Access Toll Connecting Trunks shall be used solely for the transmission and routing of Exchange Access to allow Intrado Comm's Customers to connect to or be connected to the interexchange trunks of any Interexchange Carrier which is connected to a Verizon access Tandem.

### 10. Meet-Point Billing Arrangements

- 10.1 Intrado Comm and Verizon will establish Meet-Point Billing (MPB) arrangements in order to provide a common transport option to Switched Exchange Access Services customers via a Verizon access Tandem Switch in accordance with the Meet Point Billing guidelines contained in the OBF's MECAB and MECOD documents, except as modified herein, and in Verizon's applicable Tariffs. The arrangements described in this Section 10 are intended to be used to provide Switched Exchange Access Service where the transport component of the Switched Exchange Access Service is routed through an access Tandem Switch that is provided by Verizon.
- 10.2 In each LATA, the Parties shall establish MPB arrangements for the applicable Intrado Comm Routing Point/Verizon Serving Interconnection Wire Center combinations.
- 10.3 Interconnection for the MPB arrangement shall occur at each of the Verizon access Tandems in the LATA, unless otherwise agreed to by the Parties.
- 10.4 Intrado Comm and Verizon will use reasonable efforts, individually and collectively, to maintain provisions in their respective state access Tariffs, and/or

provisions within the National Exchange Carrier Association (NECA) Tariff No. 4, or any successor Tariff sufficient to reflect the MPB arrangements established pursuant to this Agreement.

10.5 In general, there are four alternative Meet-Point Billing arrangements possible, which are: Single Bill/Single Tariff, Multiple Bill/Single Tariff, Multiple Bill/Multiple Tariff, and Single Bill/Multiple Tariff, as outlined in the OBF MECAB Guidelines.

Each Party shall implement the "Multiple Bill/Single Tariff" or "Multiple Bill/Multiple Tariff" option, as appropriate, in order to bill an IXC for the portion of the MPB arrangement provided by that Party. Alternatively, in former Bell Atlantic service areas, upon agreement of the Parties, each Party may use the New York State Access Pool on its behalf to implement the Single Bill/Multiple Tariff or Single Bill/Single Tariff option, as appropriate, in order to bill an IXC for the portion of the MPB arrangement provided by that Party.

- 10.6 The rates to be billed by each Party for the portion of the MPB arrangement provided by it shall be as set forth in that Party's applicable Tariffs, or other document that contains the terms under which that Party's access services are offered. For each Intrado Comm Routing Point/Verizon Serving Interconnection Wire Center combination, the MPB billing percentages for transport between the Intrado Comm Routing Point and the Verizon Serving Interconnection Wire Center shall be calculated in accordance with the formula set forth in Section 10.17 of this Attachment.
- 10.7 Each Party shall provide the other Party with the billing name, billing address, and Carrier Identification Code (CIC) of the IXC, and identification of the Verizon Interconnection Wire Center serving the IXC in order to comply with the MPB notification process as outlined in the MECAB document.
- 10.8 Verizon shall provide Intrado Comm with the Terminating Switched Access Detail Usage Data (EMI category 1101XX records) recorded at the Verizon access Tandem on cartridge or via such other media as the Parties may agree to, no later than ten (10) Business Days after the date the usage occurred.
- 10.9 Intrado Comm shall provide Verizon with the Originating Switched Access Detail Usage Data (EMI category 1101XX records) on cartridge or via such other media as the Parties may agree, no later than ten (10) Business Days after the date the usage occurred.
- 10.10 All usage data to be provided pursuant to Sections 10.8 and 10.9 of this Attachment shall be sent to the following addresses:

To Intrado Comm:

Intrado Communications Inc. ATTN: IEN Product Manager 1601 Dry Creek Drive Longmont, CO 80503

For Verizon:

Verizon Data Services ATTN: MPB 1 East Telecom Parkway Dock D

Temple Terrace, FL 33637

Either Party may change its address for receiving usage data by notifying the other Party in writing pursuant to Section 29 of the General Terms and Conditions.

- 10.11 Intrado Comm and Verizon shall coordinate and exchange the billing account reference (BAR) and billing account cross reference (BACR) numbers or Operating Company Number ("OCN"), as appropriate, for the MPB arrangements described in this Section 10. Each Party shall notify the other if the level of billing or other BAR/BACR elements change, resulting in a new BAR/BACR number, or if the OCN changes.
- 10.12 Each Party agrees to provide the other Party with notification of any errors it discovers in MPB data within thirty (30) calendar days of the receipt of the original data. The other Party shall attempt to correct the error and resubmit the data within ten (10) Business Days of the notification. In the event the errors cannot be corrected within such ten- (10) Business-Day period, the erroneous data will be considered lost. In the event of a loss of data, whether due to uncorrectable errors or otherwise, both Parties shall cooperate to reconstruct the lost data and, if such reconstruction is not possible, shall accept a reasonable estimate of the lost data based upon prior usage data.
- 10.13 Either Party may request a review or audit of the various components of access recording up to a maximum of two (2) audits per calendar year. All costs associated with each review and audit shall be borne by the requesting Party. Such review or audit shall be conducted subject to Section 7 of the General Terms and Conditions and during regular business hours. A Party may conduct additional audits, at its expense, upon the other Party's consent, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld.
- 10.14 Except as expressly set forth in this Agreement, nothing contained in this Section 10 shall create any liability for damages, losses, claims, costs, injuries, expenses or other liabilities whatsoever on the part of either Party.
- 10.15 MPB will apply for all traffic bearing the 500, 900, toll free service access code (e.g. 800/888/877) (to the extent provided by an IXC) or any other nongeographic NPA which may be designated for such traffic in the future.
- 10.16 In the event Intrado Comm determines to offer Telephone Exchange Services in a LATA in which Verizon operates an access Tandem Switch, Verizon shall permit and enable Intrado Comm to subtend the Verizon access Tandem Switch(es) designated for the Verizon End Offices in the area where there are located Intrado Comm Routing Point(s) associated with the NPA NXX(s) to/from which the Switched Exchange Access Services are homed.
- 10.17 Except as otherwise mutually agreed by the Parties, the MPB billing percentages for each Routing Point/Verizon Serving Interconnection Wire Center combination shall be calculated according to the following formula, unless as mutually agreed to by the Parties:

a / (a + b) = Intrado Comm Billing Percentage

and

b / (a + b) = Verizon Billing Percentage

where:

- a = the airline mileage between Intrado Comm Routing Point and the actual point of interconnection for the MPB arrangement; and
- b = the airline mileage between the Verizon Serving Interconnection Wire Center and the actual point of interconnection for the MPB arrangement.
- 10.18 Intrado Comm shall inform Verizon of each LATA in which it intends to offer Telephone Exchange Services and its calculation of the billing percentages which should apply for such arrangement. Within ten (10) Business Days of Intrado Comm's delivery of notice to Verizon, Verizon and Intrado Comm shall confirm the Routing Point/Verizon Serving Interconnection Wire Center combination and billing percentages.

# 11. Toll Free Service Access Code (e.g., 800/888/877) Traffic

The following terms shall apply when either Party delivers toll free service access code (e.g., 800/877/888)("8YY") calls to the other Party. For the purposes of this Section 11, the terms "translated" and "untranslated" refers to those toll free service access code calls that have been queried ("translated") or have not been queried ("untranslated") to an 8YY database. Except as otherwise agreed to by the Parties, all Intrado Comm originating "untranslated" 8YY traffic will be routed over a separate One-Way miscellaneous Trunk group.

- 11.1 When Intrado Comm delivers translated 8YY calls to Verizon to be completed by
  - 11.1.1 an IXC:
    - 11.1.1.1 Intrado Comm will provide an appropriate EMI record to Verizon:
    - 11.1.1.2 Intrado Comm will bill the IXC the Intrado Comm's applicable Switched Exchange Access Tariff charges and the Intrado Comm's applicable Tariff query charges; and
    - 11.1.1.3 Verizon will bill the IXC Verizon's applicable Switched Exchange Access Tariff charges.
  - 11.1.2 Verizon:
    - 11.1.2.1 Intrado Comm will provide an appropriate EMI record to Verizon; and
    - 11.1.2.2 Intrado Comm will bill Verizon the Intrado Comm's Switched Exchange Access Tariff charges and the Intrado Comm's applicable Tariff query charge.
  - 11.1.3 a toll free service access code service provider in that LATA:
    - 11.1.3.1 Intrado Comm will provide an appropriate EMI record to Verizon and the toll free service access code service provider;
    - 11.1.3.2 Intrado Comm will bill the toll free service access code service provider the Intrado Comm's applicable Switched Exchange Access Tariff charges and the Intrado Comm's applicable Tariff query charges; and

- 11.1.3.3 Verizon will bill the toll free service access code service provider Verizon's applicable Switched Exchange Access Tariff charges.
- 11.2 When Verizon performs the query and delivers translated 8YY calls, originated by Verizon's Customer or another LEC's Customer to Intrado Comm to be completed by
  - 11.2.1 Intrado Comm:
    - 11.2.1.1 Verizon will provide an appropriate EMI record to Intrado Comm; and
    - 11.2.1.2 Verizon will bill Intrado Comm Verizon's applicable
      Switched Exchange Access Tariff charges and Verizon's applicable Tariff query charges.
  - 11.2.2 a toll free service access code service provider in that LATA:
    - 11.2.2.1 Verizon will provide an appropriate EMI record to Intrado Comm and the toll free service access code service provider;
    - 11.2.2.2 Verizon will bill the toll free service access code service provider Verizon's applicable Switched Exchange Access Tariff charges and Verizon's applicable Tariff query charges; and
    - 11.2.2.3 Intrado Comm will bill the toll free service access code service provider the Intrado Comm's applicable Switched Exchange Access Tariff charges.
- 11.3 When Intrado Comm: delivers untranslated 8YY calls to Verizon to be completed by
  - 11.3.1 an IXC:
    - 11.3.1.1 Verizon will query the call and route the call to the appropriate IXC;
    - 11.3.1.2 Verizon will provide an appropriate EMI record to Intrado Comm;
    - 11.3.1.3 Verizon will bill the IXC Verizon's applicable Switched Exchange Access Tariff charges and Verizon's applicable Tariff query charges; and
    - 11.3.1.4 Intrado Comm will bill the IXC Intrado Comm's applicable Switched Exchange Access Tariff charges.
  - 11.3.2 Verizon:
    - 11.3.2.1 Verizon will query the call and complete the call;
    - 11.3.2.2 Verizon will provide an appropriate EMI record to Intrado Comm;

- 11.3.2.3 Intrado Comm will bill Verizon the Intrado Comm's applicable Switched Exchange Access Tariff charges.
- 11.3.3 a toll free service access code service provider in that LATA:
  - 11.3.3.1 Verizon will query the call and route the call to the appropriate toll free service access code service provider;
  - 11.3.3.2 Verizon will provide an appropriate EMI record to Intrado Comm and the toll free service access code service provider;
  - 11.3.3.3 Verizon will bill the toll free service access code service provider Verizon's applicable Switched Exchange Access Tariff and Verizon's applicable Tariff query charges; and
  - 11.3.3.4 Intrado Comm will bill the toll free service access code service provider the Intrado Comm's applicable Switched Exchange Access Tariff charges.
- 11.4 Verizon will not direct untranslated toll free service access code call to Intrado Comm.

#### 12. Tandem Transit Traffic

- 12.1 As used in this Section, Tandem Transit Traffic is Telephone Exchange Service traffic that originates on Intrado Comm's network, and is transported through Verizon's Tandem to the subtending End Office or its equivalent of another carrier (CLEC, ILEC other than Verizon, Commercial Mobile Radio Service (CMRS) carrier, or other LEC ("Other Carrier"). Neither the originating nor terminating customer is a Customer of Verizon. Subtending End Offices shall be determined in accordance with and as identified in the Local Exchange Routing Guide (LERG). For the avoidance of any doubt, under no circumstances shall Verizon be required to transit traffic through a Verizon Tandem to a Central Office that the LERG does not identify as subtending that particular Verizon Tandem. Switched Exchange Access Service traffic is not Tandem Transit Traffic. 911/E-911 Traffic is not Tandem Transit Traffic.
- 12.2 Tandem Transit Traffic Service provides Intrado Comm with the transport of Tandem Transit Traffic as provided below.
- 12.3 Tandem Transit Traffic may be routed over the Interconnection Trunks described in Sections 2 through 6 of this Attachment. Intrado Comm shall deliver each Tandem Transit Traffic call to Verizon's Tandem with CCS and the appropriate Transactional Capabilities Application Part ("TCAP") message to facilitate full interoperability of CLASS Features and billing functions.
- 12.4 Intrado Comm may use Tandem Transit Traffic Service only for traffic that originates on Intrado Comm's network and only to send traffic to an Other Carrier with whom Intrado Comm has a reciprocal traffic exchange arrangement (either via written agreement or mutual tariffs) that provides for the Other Carrier, to terminate or complete traffic originated by Intrado Comm and to bill Intrado Comm, and not to bill Verizon, for such traffic. Intrado Comm agrees to use reasonable efforts not to use Verizon's Tandem Transit Traffic Service to send traffic to an Other Carrier with whom Intrado Comm does not have such a reciprocal traffic exchange arrangement or to send traffic that does not originate on Intrado Comm's network.

- 12.5 Intrado Comm shall pay Verizon for Tandem Transit Traffic Service at the rates specified in the Pricing Attachment. Verizon will not be liable for compensation to any Other Carrier for any traffic that is transported through Verizon's Tandem and Verizon reserves the right to assess to Intrado Comm any additional charges or costs any Other Carrier imposes or levies on Verizon for the delivery or termination of such traffic, including any Switched Exchange Access Service charges. If Verizon is billed by any Other Carrier for any traffic originated by Intrado Comm, Verizon may provide notice to Intrado Comm of such billing. Upon receipt of such notice, Intrado Comm shall take reasonable efforts to immediately stop using Verizon's Tandem Transit Traffic Service to send any traffic to such Other Carrier until it has provided to Verizon certification that the Other Carrier has removed such billed charges from its bill to Verizon and that the Other Carrier will not bill Verizon for any traffic originated by Intrado Comm. Such certification must be signed by an authorized officer or agent of the Other Carrier and must be in a form acceptable to Verizon.
- 12.6 If Intrado Comm uses Tandem Transit Traffic Service for traffic volumes that exceed the Centum Call Seconds (Hundred Call Seconds) busy hour equivalent of 200,000 combined minutes of use per month (a DS1 equivalent) to the subtending End Office of a particular Other Carrier for any month (the "Threshold Level"). Intrado Comm shall use good faith efforts to establish direct interconnection with such Other Carrier and reduce such traffic volumes below the Threshold Level. If Verizon believes that Intrado Comm has not exercised good faith efforts promptly to obtain such direct interconnection, either Party may use the Dispute Resolution processes of this Agreement.
- 12.7 If Intrado Comm fails to comply with Section 12 of this Attachment, such failure shall be a material breach of a material provision of this Agreement and Verizon may exercise any and all remedies under this Agreement and Applicable Law for such breach.
- 12.8 If or when a third party carrier plans to subtend an Intrado Comm switch, then Intrado Comm shall provide written notice to Verizon at least ninety (90) days before such subtending service arrangement becomes effective so that Verizon may negotiate and establish direct interconnection with such third party carrier. Upon written request from Verizon, Intrado Comm shall offer to Verizon a service arrangement equivalent to or the same as Tandem Transit Traffic Service provided by Verizon to Intrado Comm as defined in this Section such that Verizon may terminate calls to a Central Office or its equivalent of a CLEC, ILEC other than Verizon, CMRS carrier, or other LEC, that subtends an Intrado Comm Central Office or its equivalent ("Reciprocal Tandem Transit Service"). Intrado Comm shall offer such Reciprocal Transit Service arrangements under terms and conditions of an amendment to this Agreement or a separate agreement no less favorable than those provided in this Section.
- 12.9 Neither Party shall take any actions to prevent the other Party from entering into a direct and reciprocal traffic exchange arrangement with any carrier to which it originates, or from which it terminates, traffic.

### 13. Number Resources, Rate Center Areas and Routing Points

13.1 Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed to limit or otherwise adversely affect in any manner either Party's right to employ or to request and be assigned any Central Office Codes ("NXX") pursuant to the Central Office Code Assignment Guidelines and any relevant FCC or Commission orders, as may be amended from time to time, or to establish, by Tariff or otherwise, Rate Center Areas and Routing Points corresponding to such NXX codes.

- It shall be the responsibility of each Party to program and update its own switches and network systems pursuant to information provided on ASRs as well as the LERG in order to recognize and route traffic to the other Party's assigned NXX codes. Except as expressly set forth in this Agreement, neither Party shall impose any fees or charges whatsoever on the other Party for such activities.
- Unless otherwise required by Commission order, the Rate Center Areas will be the same for each Party. During the term of this Agreement, Intrado Comm shall adopt the Rate Center Area and Rate Center Points that the Commission has approved for Verizon within the LATA and Tandem serving area. Intrado Comm shall assign whole NPA-NXX codes to each Rate Center Area unless otherwise ordered by the FCC, the Commission or another governmental entity of appropriate jurisdiction, or the LEC industry adopts alternative methods of utilizing NXXs.
- 13.4 Intrado Comm will also designate a Routing Point for each assigned NXX code. Intrado Comm shall designate one location for each Rate Center Area in which the Intrado Comm has established NXX code(s) as the Routing Point for the NPA-NXXs associated with that Rate Center Area, and such Routing Point shall be within the same LATA as the Rate Center Area but not necessarily within the Rate Center Area itself. Unless specified otherwise, calls to subsequent NXXs of Intrado Comm will be routed in the same manner as calls to Intrado Comm's initial NXXs.
- 13.5 Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, nothing in this Agreement is intended, and nothing in this Agreement shall be construed, to in any way constrain Intrado Comm's choices regarding the size of the local calling area(s) that Intrado Comm may establish for its Customers, which local calling areas may be larger than, smaller than, or identical to Verizon's local calling areas

## 14. Joint Network Implementation and Grooming Process; Forecasting

14.1 Joint Network Implementation and Grooming Process.

Upon request of either Party, the Parties shall jointly develop an implementation and grooming process (the "Joint Grooming Process" or "Joint Process") which may define and detail, inter alia:

- 14.1.1 standards to ensure that Interconnection Trunks experience a grade of service, availability and quality which is comparable to that achieved on interoffice trunks within the Parties' Verizon's networks and in accord with all appropriate relevant industry-accepted quality, reliability and availability standards. Except as otherwise stated in this Agreement, trunks provided by either Party for Interconnection services will be engineered using a design-blocking objective of B.01.
- 14.1.2 the respective duties and responsibilities of the Parties with respect to the administration and maintenance of the trunk groups, including, but not limited to, standards and procedures for notification and discoveries of trunk disconnects:
- 14.1.3 disaster recovery provision escalations;
- 14.1.4 additional technically feasible Point(s) of Interconnection on Verizon's network in a LATA as provided in Section 2.1.1 of this Attachment;

- 14.1.5 Intrado Comm POIs on Intrado Comm's network as provided in Section 2.1.2 of this Attachment; and
- 44.1.514.1.6 such other matters as the Parties may agree, including, e.g., End Office to End Office high usage trunks as good engineering practices may dictate.
- 14.2 Trunk Forecasting Requirements.
  - 14.2.1 Initial Trunk Forecast Requirements. At least ninety (90) days before initiating interconnection in a LATA, Intrade Commeach Party shall provide to the other PartyVerizen a two (2)-year non-binding traffic forecast that complies with the Verizon Interconnection Trunking Forecast Guide, as revised from time to time. This initial traffic forecast will provide the amount of traffic to be delivered to and from each PartyVerizen over each of the Interconnection Trunk groups and 911/E-911 Service trunk groups in the LATA over the next eight (8) quarters.
  - 14.2.2 Ongoing Trunk Forecast Requirements. Where the Parties have already established interconnection in a LATA, Intrado-Commeach Party shall provide a new or revised traffic forecast that complies with the Verizon Interconnection Trunking Forecast Guide when Intrado Commeither Party develops plans or becomes aware of information that will materially affect the Parties' interconnection in that LATA. Instances that require a new or revised forecast include, but are not limited to: (a) Intrado Commeither Party plans to deploy a new switch; (b) Intrado-Commeither Party plans to implement a new POI or network architecture; (c) Intrado Commeither Party plans to rearrange its network; (d) Intrado Commeither Party plans to convert a One-Way Interconnection Trunk group to a Two-Way Interconnection Trunk group; (e) Intrado Comm\*\*\*CLEC Acronym TXT\*\*\*either Party plans to convert a Two-Way Interconnection Trunk group to a One-Way Interconnection Trunk group; or (f) Intrado Commeither Party expects a significant change in interconnection traffic volume. In addition, upon request by either Party, the Parties shall meet to: (i) review traffic and usage data on End Office and Tandem Interconnection Trunk groups and (ii) determine whether the Parties should establish new Interconnection Trunk groups, augment existing Interconnection Trunk groups, or disconnect existing Interconnection Trunks.
  - 14.2.3 <u>Use of Trunk Forecasts</u>. Trunk forecasts provided pursuant to this Agreement must be prepared in good faith but are not otherwise binding on Intrado Comm or Verizon.
- 15. Number Portability Section 251(B)(2)
  - 15.1 Scope.

The Parties shall provide Number Portability (NP) in accordance with rules and regulations as from time to time prescribed by the FCC.

15.2 Procedures for Providing LNP ("Local Number Portability").

The Parties will follow the LNP provisioning process recommended by the North American Numbering Council (NANC) and the Industry Numbering Council (INC), and adopted by the FCC. In addition, the Parties agree to follow the LNP

ordering procedures established at the OBF. The Parties shall provide LNP on a reciprocal basis.

- 15.2.1 A Customer of one Party ("Party A") elects to become a Customer of the other Party ("Party B"). The Customer elects to utilize the original telephone number(s) corresponding to the Telephone Exchange Service(s) it previously received from Party A, in conjunction with the Telephone Exchange Service(s) it will now receive from Party B. After Party B has received authorization from the Customer in accordance with Applicable Law and sends an LSR to Party A, Parties A and B will work together to port the Customer's telephone number(s) from Party A's network to Party B's network.
- 15.2.2 When a telephone number is ported out of Party A's network, Party A will remove any non-proprietary line based calling card(s) associated with the ported number(s) from its Line Information Database (LIDB). Reactivation of the line-based calling card in another LIDB, if desired, is the responsibility of Party B or Party B's Customer.
- 15.2.3 When a Customer of Party A ports their telephone numbers to Party B and the Customer has previously secured a reservation of line numbers from Party A for possible activation at a future point, these reserved but inactive numbers may be ported along with the active numbers to be ported provided the numbers have been reserved for the Customer. Party B may request that Party A port all reserved numbers assigned to the Customer or that Party A port only those numbers listed by Party B. As long as Party B maintains reserved but inactive numbers ported for the Customer, Party A shall not reassign those numbers. Party B shall not reassign the reserved numbers to another Customer.
- When a Customer of Party A ports their telephone numbers to Party B, in the process of porting the Customer's telephone numbers, Party A shall implement the ten-digit trigger feature where it is available. When Party A receives the porting request, the unconditional trigger shall be applied to the Customer's line before the due date of the porting activity. When the ten-digit unconditional trigger is not available, Party A and Party B must coordinate the disconnect activity.
- 15.2.5 The Parties shall furnish each other with the Jurisdiction Information Parameter (JIP) in the Initial Address Message (IAM), according to industry standards.
- 15.2.6 Where LNP is commercially available, the NXXs in the office shall be defined as portable, except as noted in 15.2.7, and translations will be changed in the Parties' switches to open those NXXs for database queries in all applicable LNP capable offices within the LATA of the given switch(es). On a prospective basis, all newly deployed switches will be equipped with LNP capability and so noted in the LERG.
- 15.2.7 All NXXs assigned to LNP capable switches are to be designated as portable unless a NXX(s) has otherwise been designated as non-portable. Non-portable NXXs include NXX codes assigned to paging services; NXX codes assigned for internal testing and official use, and any other NXX codes required to be designated as non-portable by the rules and regulations of the FCC. NXX codes assigned to mass calling on a choked network may not be ported using LNP technology

but are portable using methods established by the NANC and adopted by the FCC. On a prospective basis, newly assigned codes in switches capable of porting shall become commercially available for porting with the effective date in the network.

- 15.2.8 Both Parties' use of LNP shall meet the performance criteria specified by the FCC. Both Parties will act as the default carrier for the other Party in the event that either Party is unable to perform the routing necessary for LNP.
- 15.3 Procedures for Providing NP Through Full NXX Code Migration.

Where a Party has activated an entire NXX for a single Customer, or activated at least eighty percent (80%) of an NXX for a single Customer, with the remaining numbers in that NXX either reserved for future use by that Customer or otherwise unused, if such Customer chooses to receive Telephone Exchange Service from the other Party, the first Party shall cooperate with the second Party to have the entire NXX reassigned in the LERG (and associated industry databases, routing tables, etc.) to an End Office operated by the second Party. Such transfer will be accomplished with appropriate coordination between the Parties and subject to appropriate industry lead times for movements of NXXs from one switch to another. Neither Party shall charge the other in connection with this coordinated transfer.

15.4 Procedures for LNP Request.

The Parties shall provide for the requesting of End Office LNP capability on a reciprocal basis through a written request. The Parties acknowledge that Verizon has deployed LNP throughout its network in compliance with FCC 96-286 and other applicable FCC Regulations.

- 15.4.1 If Party B desires to have LNP capability deployed in an End Office of Party A, which is not currently capable, Party B shall issue a LNP request to Party A. Party A will respond to the Party B, within ten (10) days of receipt of the request, with a date for which LNP will be available in the requested End Office. Party A shall proceed to provide for LNP in compliance with the procedures and timelines set forth in FCC 96-286, Paragraph 80, and FCC 97-74, Paragraphs 65 through 67.
- 15.4.2 The Parties acknowledge that each can determine the LNP-capable End Offices of the other through the Local Exchange Routing Guide (LERG). In addition, the Parties shall make information available upon request showing their respective LNP-capable End Offices, as set forth in this Section 15.4.
- 15.5 Intrado Comm shall submit orders to port numbers electronically using an LSR via the Verizon web Graphical User Interface ("GUI") or Electronic Data Interface ("EDI") pursuant to the instructions, business rules and guidelines set forth on the Verizon Partner Solutions website (formerly referred to as the Verizon wholesale website).

### **RESALE ATTACHMENT**

#### 1. General

Verizon shall provide to Intrado Comm, in accordance with this Agreement (including, but not limited to, Verizon's applicable Tariffs) and the requirements of Applicable Law, Verizon's Telecommunications Services for resale by Intrado Comm; provided, that notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, Verizon shall be obligated to provide Telecommunications Services for resale by Intrado Comm only to the extent required by Applicable Law and may decline to provide a Telecommunications Service to Intrado Comm to the extent that provision of such Telecommunications Service is not required by Applicable Law.

#### 2. Use of Verizon Telecommunications Services

- Verizon Telecommunications Services may be purchased by Intrado Comm under this Resale Attachment only for the purpose of resale by Intrado Comm as a Telecommunications Carrier. Verizon Telecommunications Services to be purchased by Intrado Comm for other purposes (including, but not limited to, Intrado Comm's own use) must be purchased by Intrado Comm pursuant to other applicable Attachments to this Agreement (if any), or separate written agreements, including, but not limited to, applicable Verizon Tariffs.
- 2.2 Intrado Comm shall not resell:
  - 2.2.1 Residential service to persons not eligible to subscribe to such service from Verizon (including, but not limited to, business or other nonresidential Customers);
  - 2.2.2 Lifeline, Link Up America, or other means-tested service offerings, to persons not eligible to subscribe to such service offerings from Verizon;
  - 2.2.3 Grandfathered or discontinued service offerings to persons not eligible to subscribe to such service offerings from Verizon; or
  - 2.2.4 Any other Verizon service in violation of a restriction stated in this Agreement (including, but not limited to, a Verizon Tariff) that is not prohibited by Applicable Law.
  - 2.2.5 In addition to any other actions taken by Intrado Comm to comply with this Section 2.2, Intrado Comm shall take those actions required by Applicable Law to determine the eligibility of Intrado Comm Customers to purchase a service, including, but not limited to, obtaining any proof or certification of eligibility to purchase Lifeline, Link Up America, or other means-tested services, required by Applicable Law. Intrado Comm shall indemnify Verizon from any Claims resulting from Intrado Comm's failure to take such actions required by Applicable Law.
  - 2.2.6 Verizon may perform audits to confirm Intrado Comm's conformity to the provisions of this Section 2.2. Such audits may be performed twice per calendar year and shall be performed in accordance with Section 7 of the General Terms and Conditions.

- 2.3 Intrado Comm shall be subject to the same limitations that Verizon's Customers are subject to with respect to any Telecommunications Service that Verizon grandfathers or discontinues offering. Without limiting the foregoing, except to the extent that Verizon follows a different practice for Verizon Customers in regard to a grandfathered Telecommunications Service, such grandfathered Telecommunications Service: (a) shall be available only to a Customer that already has such Telecommunications Service; (b) may not be moved to a new service location; and (c) will be furnished only to the extent that facilities continue to be available to provide such Telecommunications Service.
- 2.4 Intrado Comm shall not be eligible to participate in any Verizon plan or program under which Verizon Customers may obtain products or services, which are not Verizon Telecommunications Services, in return for trying, agreeing to purchase, purchasing, or using Verizon Telecommunications Services.
- 2.5 In accordance with 47 CFR § 51.617(b), Verizon shall be entitled to all charges for Verizon Exchange Access services used by interexchange carriers to provide service to Intrado Comm Customers.

## 3. Availability of Verizon Telecommunications Services

- 3.1 Verizon will provide a Verizon Telecommunications Service to Intrado Comm for resale pursuant to this Attachment where and to the same extent, but only where and to the same extent that such Verizon Telecommunications Service is provided to Verizon's Customers.
- 3.2 Except as otherwise required by Applicable Law, subject to Section 3.1 of this Attachment, Verizon shall have the right to add, modify, grandfather, discontinue or withdraw Verizon Telecommunications Services at any time, without the consent of Intrado Comm.
- 3.3 To the extent required by Applicable Law, the Verizon Telecommunications Services to be provided to Intrado Comm for resale pursuant to this Attachment will include a Verizon Telecommunications Service customer-specific contract service arrangement ("CSA") (such as a customer specific pricing arrangement or individual case based pricing arrangement) that Verizon is providing to a Verizon Customer at the time the CSA is requested by Intrado Comm.

### 4. Responsibility for Charges

- 4.1 Intrado Comm shall be responsible for and pay to Verizon all charges for any Telecommunications Services provided by Verizon or provided by persons other than Verizon and billed for by Verizon, that are ordered, activated or used by Intrado Comm, Intrado Comm Customers or any other persons, through, by means of, or in association with, Telecommunications Services provided by Verizon to Intrado Comm pursuant to this Resale Attachment.
- 4.2 Upon request by Intrado Comm, Verizon will provide for use on resold Verizon retail Telecommunications Service dial tone lines purchased by Intrado Comm such Verizon retail Telecommunications Service call blocking and call screening services as Verizon provides to its own end user-retail Customers, where and to the extent Verizon provides such Verizon retail Telecommunications Service call blocking services to Verizon's own end user-retail Customers. Intrado Comm understands and agrees that certain of Verizon's call blocking and call screening services are not guaranteed to block or screen all calls and that notwithstanding Intrado Comm's purchase of such blocking or screening services, Intrado Comm's end user-Customers or other persons ordering, activating or using